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PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Mr. Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Wallace, attached to the Jullunder Division of Public Works, for one month, on Medical Certificate, from the date of his departure.

P. W. Dept., No. 2317-8, dated 28th Dec., 1857.

EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

No. 4178. CIRCULAR No. 118.

From THE FINANCIAL COMMISSIONER
for the Punjab,

To ALL TREASURY OFFICERS.

Dated Lahore, the 24th December, 1857.

Revenue. (Treasury.)

SIR,—As it is of very great importance, at the present time, to obtain Funds by drawing on Calcutta, while supply Bills on that place are not as yet in general demand, I have the honour to state, that you are authorized to receive as Cash, in lieu of such supply Bills, any audited Abstracts, or Drafts for pay and allowances, that may be presented to you, for this purpose, provided the amount of these be ultimately payable from your Treasury, although the prescribed period, during which such pay is to be kept in arrear, may not have elapsed.

2.—The authorized rate of discount will, of course, in all such cases, be allowed.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commissioner.

Financial Commissioner's Office, Lahore,
The 24th December, 1857.

No. 4180. CIRCULAR No. 119.

From THE FINANCIAL COMMISSIONER,
for the Punjab,

To ALL OFFICERS IN CHARGE OF TREASURIES
in the Punjab,
THE COLLECTOR OF HISSAR, AND
SUPRRINTENDENT OF BHUTTIANA.

Dated Lahore, the 24th December, 1857.

Revenue. (Treasury.)

SIR,—I have the honor to state that, with reference to the Proceedings of Government No. 4,234, dated 2nd October, 1857, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 21st November, 1857, application should not now be made to this office, as heretofore, for permission to refund the amount of unpaid Bills of Exchange, drawn upon Treasuries, which were destroyed during the late mutinies, which Bills have been lost or destroyed, and cannot be produced.

2.—In the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, the Accountant General is alone authorized, in accordance with those Proceedings, to take up such applications. A reference has been made to the Supreme Government, recommending that the Accountants attached to the several Local Governments, be authorized to sanction such refunds, on the terms laid down in the Proceedings in question. But until such authority shall have been formally granted, the Accountant General only can receive such applications.

3.—In the event, therefore, of the drawers of such lost Bills, issued from your Treasury, applying to you for refund, it will be optional with you, according to the wishes of the parties concerned, either to refer the application at once for the consideration of the Accountant General, or to leave it in abeyance, until a reply shall have been received to the reference made to Government.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedt. servant,

D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commissioner.

Financial Commissioner's Office, Lahore,
The 24th Dec., 1857.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 28TH DECEMBER, 1857.

No. 558.—Accoutrements, issued from Magazines, for the use of Corps of Punjab Infantry, are to be of brown leather, which are not to be blackened, or colored in any way, when brought into wear.

6TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 559.—In anticipation of the sanction of Government, the resignation of his appointment, by Captain J. M. Earle, (24th Regt. N. I.,) 2nd in command, 4th Regt., and Officiating Commandant, 6th Regt. of Infantry P. I. Force, is accepted, with effect from the 15th instant.

LAHORE LIGHT HORSE.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 560.—Captain Jenkins to remain at Lahore, from the 18th till the 31st December, 1857, for the purpose of appearing before a Medical Committee.

LAHORE, 29TH DECEMBER, 1857.

4TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 561.—Jemadar Mahomed Akram Khan, to be Ressaldar, from the 4th July, 1857, the date on which he was severely wounded before Delhi.

Sowar Abdoola Khan to be Duffadar, from this date.

The above promotions to be considered supernumerary, till such time as they are absorbed by casualties.

Jemadar Mahomed Akram and Sowar Abdoola Khan, are further admitted to the 3rd Class of the Order of Merit, from the 14th July last, in consideration of their gallant conduct in action, and faithful services to the state.

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 562.—Battery Orders Nos. 338 and 350, dated 22nd September and 1st October, 1857, by Captain Sladen, Commanding, directing the entertainment of a Mate Carpenter and of a Smith, for a Detachment of 2 Guns on Command at Dera Ghazee Khan, are confirmed.

LAHORE, 30TH DECEMBER, 1857.

2ND REGIMENT SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 563.—Edho, Compounder, appointed a Native Doctor, 3rd Class, by Punjab Orders by Major General Gowan, C. B., commanding in the Upper Provinces, of the 29th December, and placed at the Chief Commissionere's disposal, is directed to do duty with the 2nd Regiment Sikh Irregular Cavalry.

4TH REGIMENT SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 564.—Sepoy Sahib Singh, from the Regiment of Loodiana, is transfered with effect from 30th July, 1857.

14TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 565.—Havildar Jewun, from 5th Punjab Police Battalion, to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th September, 1857.

5TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 566 :—

Rank and Name.	Promoted.	In whose room.
Jemadar Jawahur Singh,	Subadar,	Buhadoor Khan reduced.
,, Muhtab Sing,	Subadar,	Moula Buksh appointed Adjutant.

4TH REGIMENT CAVALRY, PUNJAB IRREGULAR FORCE.

No. 567.—Duffadar Mujja Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Sheikh Goolam Hoosein, struck off.

No. 1 LIGHT FIELD BATTERY, PUNJAB IRREGULAR FORCE.

No. 568.—Subadar Sheikh Nuzuroollah, having failed to rejoin on the expiry of his leave, on the 15th December, is dismissed from the service.

LAHORE, 31ST DECEMBER, 1857.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 569.—Musician Jungbaz Khan, from the late 26th Regiment Native Infantry, and Musician Shekh Emambukhsh, from the 49th Regiment Native Infantry, are transferred as Buglers.

17TH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 570.—With the concurrence of Major General Gowan, C. B., commanding in the Upper Provinces, Resaldar Allee Woordie Khan, and Kot Duffadar Goolam Allee Khan, are admitted to the 3rd Class of the Order of Merit, from the 29th September, 1857, in consideration of their conspicuous gallantry in the Field.

LAHORE HORSE DEPOT.

No. 571.—Mr. M. J. Marshall, Veterinary Surgeon, will continue to afford professional aid to the Horses, lately selected from the Lahore Light Horse, or procured elsewhere, for Euro-

pean Dragoons and Artillery, and placed under charge of Captain Best, 8th Light Cavalry.

This Order to have effect from the date upon which the Horses were made over to Captain Best, viz., the 10th current.

LAHORE AND MOOLTAN TRANSPORT TRAIN.

No. 572.—With the concurrence of Major General G. E. Gowan, C. B., Commanding in the Upper Provinces, the Establishment of a Transport Train, for the conveyance of Troops, Baggage, &c., from Lahore to Mooltan, is sanctioned.

The general arrangements for the Lahore and Mooltan Transport Train, will be made under the supervision of *Captain R. Wroughton, Assistant Commissary General*, Meean Meer, who will take measures for procuring the use of such ordnance, or Commissariat Cattle, as can be spared from neighbouring Stations: also of all spare carts, that may be available from the Ferozepore or other Magazines.

Captain W. Fullerton, of the 14th Regiment N. I., is appointed Superintendent of the Lahore and Mooltan Transport Train, under the Orders of Capt. Wroughton, and on a Staff Salary of Rs. 300 per mensem, with effect from the 14th instant, the date on which he assumed charge of his duties.

The following halting places and victualling arrangements have, for the present, been determined upon: –

1st Day.—Leave Mooltan at gun-fire, reach Rawa Kadirpore, 17 miles, at noon, halt till 3 P. M.

2nd Day.—Start again at 3 P. M., reach Dooboorjee, 52¾ miles, at 9 A. M., halt till noon.

3rd Day.—Start at noon, reach Akbur, 56¾ miles at 9 A. M., halt till noon.

4th Day.—Start at noon, reach Nund Khana, 56 miles, at 9 A. M. halt till noon.

Ditto.—Start at noon, reach Meean Meer, 22½ miles, at 7 or 8 *P. M.*

On arrival of a party, within 10 miles of halting place, a Chokee Sowar will be directed to go on ahead, and give notice for preparation of the men's food.

VICTUALLING ARRANGEMENTS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

At each halting place above noted :—

1 Non-Commd. Officer, Rs. 20 Staff allowance, 10 Horse Allowance per mensem.

1 Mutsuddy,	... ...	25
1 Chuprassie,	... ...	5
1 Weighman,	... ...	5
1 Head Cook,	... ..	8
6 Ordinary Cooks,	at	6 each for and up to 100 men.
1 Bhistee,...	.. ..	5

List of Stock Articles for use at each halting place :—

1 Set of cooking utensils,
4 China plates,
2 Knives and forks,
2 Salt cellars,
} For each mess of 32 men.

62 Camp kettles,
31 Set of grocers scales and weights.
1 Leather scale, with 1 iron 5 seer weight.
1 Half gallon copper rum measure, 24 per cent.
1 Gill ditto ditto.
1 Cloth Pullee.
2 Canvas bags for rice, sugar, suet and vegetables.
4 Hospital store boxes for putting plates, &c. in.

As Travellers can only halt once a day, for food, a camp kettle will be allowed for each second cart, to carry on the cold provisions of the men for intermediate meals. A keg of Rum and a dram cup, will be made over to the Officer commanding the party, for issuing the liquor, of which he will receive 2 drams per man, at each halting place.

Two Loaves of Bread will be supplied to each Officer and man, at Mooltan, to last the first two days; at Akbur, 3 lbs. of Biscuit, in lieu of Bread, to last until arrival, at Meean Meer.

Daily Rations, according to Regulations, will be served out and cooked, at each halting place :—

Bread as before noted.

1lb Meat, Mutton.
1lb Vegetables, mixed.
4 Ounces Rice.
1½ ounces Sugar.
1 ounces Salt.
3lbs Firewood.
$\frac{5}{7}$ Ounce Tea mixed.

Officers, commanding Detachments, will pass their receipts to the Non-Commissioned Officers of the Commissariat Department, present at each halting place, and will fill up the printed Batta certificates in its several columns, which they will receive from the Commissariat Officer, at Mooltan, and on arrival at Meean Meer, transmit them, duly signed, to the local Commissariat Officer.

SUPERVISION.

As the Director of the whole Line, a Commissioned Officer, on a Staff salary of Rs. 300 per mensem, Captain W. Fullerton, as above directed.

Two Gomashtas, pay Rs. 50 per mensem, security Rs. 1,000 each, to aid the Superintendent, render accounts of cash payments and receipts, victualling, and dead stock, feeding of cattle, and pay of establishments.

Each Gomashta to have charge of one-half of the line, viz., one from Lahore to Hurrupa, inclusive, and one from Hurrupa to Mooltan.

These Gomashtas will receive detailed orders, regarding their visiting the several Chokees of their Division, and other duties from the Superintendent.

The four Non-Commissioned Officers will be Stationed at each halting place, for the Detachment. It will be their duty to report to the Superintendent, any thing that may go amiss, or that may strike them, on experience, as susceptible of improvement, as well on the road with parties arriving, as at their respective Stations, to see after the stores, and look carefully after the rum in store, they will also act as Interpreters generally, between the men and Native Establishments. A Moonshee, on a salary of Rs. 20 per mensem, will be allowed to the Superintendent. Such modifications, in addition to the above scale of Establishments, &c., as experience on the working of the Train may show to be necessary, will be directed hereafter from time to time.

Monthly Bills in Duplicate, for all expenditure, connected with the Lahore and Mooltan Transport Train, are to be submitted for countersignature by the Military Secy. to the Chief Commissioner.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 573.—Lieut. J. Williamson, from the 9th Regiment Punjab Infantry, to be officiating Commandent, *vice* Captain J. Bartlett, appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate of Peshawur.

Lieut. T. L. Roberts, Officiating Adjutant, to be officiating 2nd in command, *vice* Captain T. C. Darnell, transferred to the 9th Regiment of Punjab Infantry.

Lieut. T. E. VanderGucht, from the 5th Regiment of Punjab Infantry, to be Officiating Adjutant, *vice* Roberts.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

Captain T. C. Darnell, from 18th Regiment Punjab Infantry, to be officiating 2nd in command, *vice* Captain J. B. Iremonger, resigned.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

Lieutenant R.]
Infantry, to be
VanderGucht.

2ND SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 574.—Woordie Major Meer Hashim Khan, of the 12th Regiment Irregular Cavalry, doing duty, to be Ressaldar, with effect from the 1st instant, and to continue as a supernumerary with the 2nd Regiment Sikh Irregular Cavalry, till further orders.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 575.—Lieut. J. J. Robinson, from the Peshawur Light Horse, is appointed at his own request, to do duty with the 2nd Regiment of Cavalry, Punjab Irregular Force ordered on service.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary.

SUPPLEMENT
TO THE PUNJAB GAZETTE.

LAHORE, JANUARY 2, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 22ND DECEMBER, 1857.

13TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 540.—60 Recruits enlisted at Rawul Pindee, for the Police Battalions, N. W. P., being in excess, are posted to the 13th Punjab Infantry, at Umballa, and will proceed and join that Regiment forthwith.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

549.—62 Recruits enlisted by the Deputy Commissioner, Jullundur, are now posted and directed to join without delay.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary.

Chas. Thos. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

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...rtlett, 21st Regiment N. I., to be Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Peshawur, with effect from the 29th December; 1857, subject to the confirma... ...reme Government.

...or Kadur Buksh, to the Medical charge of the Jail and Civil Station of Goordaspoor, with effect from the 6th October to the 11th December, 1857, in-

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TRANSFERS.

N.. ...octor Buldeo Dhoobey, from the Sealkote Jail Hospital, to the 7th Police Battalion, Umritsur.

P. W. D...rtment, No. 11-12, ...ed 4th January, ...58.

Native Doctor Khoda Buksh, from the 7th Police Battalion, Umr...ur, to the Sealkote Jail Hospital.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secretary.

...he following Extract from the proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 29th of October, 1857, is published for general information :—

Read an Endorsement No. 2,026, dated the 3rd ...stant, from the Home Department, forwarding ...r consideration and orders, a letter No 2,363, ...ted the 17th ultimo, from the Secretary to the ...overnment of Bombay, requesting to be inform... ...l of the terms on which Privilege Leave may ...taken by Medical Officers, employed as Civil ...ssistant Surgeons, or in other Civil duties.

Read a report from the Civil Auditor, Fort ...illiam, No. 2,087, dated the 8th instant, on the ...ove subject.

Resolution.—The Government of Bombay en...ires as to the terms on which Privilege Leave may be taken by Medical Officers, employed as Civil Assistant Surgeons, or in other Civil duties.

On this enquiry, the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council remarks, that as Military Officers in Civil Employ are on the same footing in respect to Leave of Absence, as Military Officers, performing Military duties, and as Medical Officers in Civil Employ, have already been placed on the same footing, as Military Officers in Civil Employ, there can be no reason why they should not be allowed to remain on the same footing in respect to Privilege Leave. His Lordship in Council is accordingly pleased to decide, that the indulgence granted to Military Officers under a General Order, issued from the Military Department, No. 466, dated 27th March, 1857, of a temporary Leave without pecuniary loss for sixty days consecutively in the course of each year, or thirty days consecutively in each half year, may be extended to Medical Officers in Civil Employ, when no inconvenience, or extra expence is entailed on the Government.

Order.—Ordered, that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be sent to the Home Department, for communication to the Government of Bombay, and that the original paper received therefrom be returned, a copy being kept for record in this Department.

Ordered further, that a transcripts of the above Resolution be sent to the Departments* the Governments† and the Officers,‡ noted in the margin, for their respective information and guidance.

* Foreign Department.
Military Department.
Public Works Department.
† Bengal Government.
Fort St. George.
Central Provinces.
Straits Settlements.
‡ N. W. Provinces, Chief Commissioner.
Punjab ditto.
Civil Auditor, Fort William.

(A true extract.)
(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.,*
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

FINANCIAL COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

Lahore 6th January, 1858.

Memorandum No. 57.

The following extract from this Office Circular No. 3 of this date, is published for general information :—

D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commissioner.

Extract para. 1 of Circular No. 3, dated 6th January 1858, from the Financial Commissioner for the Punjab, to all Deputy Commissioners, (except in—of the Cis-Sutlej States.)

With reference to my Circular letter No. 75, " dated 28th July last, I have the honor to remind " you, that all interest, which has accrued on " contributions in the Six Per Cent Loan, up to " the 31st December, 1857, is now payable."

(True extract.)

H. R. LUDLAM,
Superintendent.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 2ND JANUARY, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 1.—Captain A. Wilde, Commanding from the 12th January, to the 12th March, in extension to the leave granted in P. O. No. 327, of the 23rd October, 1857, on medical certificate, and under the new regulations.

TOWANAH HORSE.

Ressalas of Mullik Shere Mahomed Khan and Sahib Khan.

No. 2.—Lieut. J. Upperton, from the 2nd Regiment Sikh Irregular Cavalry, to do duty on a Staff Salary of Rs. 167 per mensem.

LAHORE, 4TH JANUARY, 1858.

16TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 3.—Havildar Dial Sing, from the 4th Regiment Sikh Infantry, is transferred with effect from the 1st November, 1857.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 4.—Subadar Wuzeer Sing and Naick Jhuggun Sing, from the 4th Regiment Sikh Infantry, with effect from the 1st November, 1857.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 5.—The transfer of Jemadar Anoke Sing and Sepoy Kurum Sing, from the 4th Regiment Sikh Infantry, directed in P. O. No. 497, dated 9th December, 1857, is cancelled.

16TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 6.—The transfer of Naick Shere Khan, from the 4th Regiment Sikh Infantry, directed in P. O. No. 498, dated 9th December, 1857, is cancelled.

The Promotions and Transfers noted in th[e Pun]jab Orders Nos. 497 and 498, to have effec[t from] the 1st November, 1857, instead of the da[tes for]merly assigned for them.

4TH SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 7.—Jemadar Anoke Sing to be Su[badar] from the 1st November, 1857, *vice* Wuzeer [Sing] transferred to the 14th Punjab Infantry.

PUNJAB POLICE.

No. 8.—Captain H. F. M. Boisragon, fro[m the] Kumaon Battalion, is appointed to officia[te as] Lieut. of Police, in the Cis-Sutlej Division [and is] directed to proceed to Umballa and assume c[harge.]

Captain J. W. Younghusband, Captai[n of Po]lice, Sutlej States, will, in future, be [styled] Captain of Police, Trans-Sutlej Divisi[on.]

Captain G. McAndrew, Officiating [...] Police, Lahore Division, will at onc[e ...] the transfer to the Cis-Sutlej Divi[sion ...] Extra Ressalas Mounted Police [...] at Lahore.

The party of Punjab Moun[ted Police ...]ing of 1½ Ressalas, now on [...] State, will also be transferr[ed ...] Captain McAndrew, to Lieut. [...] in Political charge of Jhujjur.

Captain Boisragon, as Lieut. [...] draw a consolidated salary of Rs. 5[...]

3RD REGIMENT SIKH IRR[EGULAR] CAVALRY.

No. 9.—Lieut. G. G. Pearse, of [...] Artillery, (Assistant Commissioner i[n the Pun]jab) at present in command of the H[...] Hurrianah Field Force, is appointed t[o] officiate as Commandant of the 3rd [Irre]gular Cavalry, with effect from the 22n[d ...]ber (ultimo)

The 3rd Regiment Sikh Irregular Ca[valry to] be composed chiefly of such men of t[he] Levies, now serving in Hurrianah and [...] Districts, as may volunteer for permanent [...] and any number wanting to complete are [...] enlisted of suitable classes.

Lieut. Aikman, from the 22d Punjab Infa[ntry,] to be 2nd in Command.

The body of Horsemen at present atta[ched] under Lieut. Aikman's command, to the 2[2d] Punjab Infantry, are transferred to the 3rd [Sikh] Irregular Cavalry, and they are to be comp[leted] with all practicable despatch to a full squadro[n by] Volunteers, from the temporary Police Ress[alas] at Jullunder and Hooshearpore, and from [the] Jullundur Cantonment Police Horse.

The strength, organization, arms and eq[uip]ments, pay establishment, &c., &c. of the [3rd] Sikh Irregular Cavalry, will be the same in [all] respects with those of the corps of Cavalry, Pu[n]jab Irregular Force.

The uniform to be drab (Khakee), the Turb[an] or Pugree of each color as the officiating Co[m]mandant may select.

Weekly reports of the progress made in raisin[g] the Regt. are to be forwarded for the Chief Com[missioner's] information, and for the time, Lie[...]

[...]olonel,
Military Secretary.

Chas. Thos. McCarthy.—Lahore Chronicle Press.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 17.—Bhoop Sing Sepoy, 22nd Punjab Infantry, is transferred as a Sowar, with effect from the 1st December, 1857.

PUNJAB POLICE.

No. 18.—Lieut. J. W. Campbell, doing duty with the 5th Battalion Punjab Police, to Officiate as Captain of Police, Jelum Division, during the absence of Lieut. J. Watson, or till further orders.

This Order to have effect from the 15th October, 1857, the date on which Lieut. Campbell received charge from Capt. H. N. Miller.

3RD PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 19.—The undermentioned Pensions are assigned to Durbar Soldiers, invalided in the 3rd Police Battalion, with effect from the date on which they were struck off the strength of the Battalion.

	Per month.			
Havildar Dya Ram, ...	Rs.	3	8	0
,, Soudagar, ...	,,	4	10	8
,, Hunnooman Sing,	,,	4	10	8

1ST SIKH AND 5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY REGIMENT.

No. 20.—The Officers Commanding the 1st Regiment of Sikh and 5th Punjab Infantry, proceeding on service, are authorized (with effect from the 22nd December, 1857,) to entertain 100 men each in excess of their established strength, the men, so entertained, to receive full pay from date of enlistment as a special case.

7TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 21.—The Regimental Order of the 22nd December, 1857, by Captain Stafford, Commanding, directing Lieut. J. W. H. Johnstone, to continue to do duty with the Regiment, is confirmed.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 22.—The Dera Ghazee Khan Station Order, of the 26th ultimo, directing Lieut. J. P. Burton, to continue to do duty, (with effect from the 22nd idem,) is confirmed, as a special and temporary arrangement.

LAHORE 8TH JANUARY, 1858.

LAHORE LIGHT HORSE.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 23.—Captain R. Jenkins, for three months, from the 1st January, 1858, to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe, on medical certificate on the old Regulations, in extension of the leave granted in P. O. No. 560, of the 28th December, 1857.

ARTILLERY HURRIANAH FIELD FORCE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 24.—Kanh Sing Havildar, from the 1st Light Field Battery, Oude Irregular Force, with effect from the 7th July, 1857.

Sola Ram Sepoy, from the Hurrianah Light Infantry, with effect from the 16th September.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 25.—The following Regimental Orders by Captain Bloomfield, Commanding, are confirmed.

26th November, 1857, directing Lieut. J. V. Hunt, 2nd in command to receive charge of the Adjutant's Office, from Lieutenant Chatterton, proceeding on leave on medical certificate.

23rd December, 1857, appointing Lieut. T. R. Davidson, doing duty to officiate as Adjutant, and receive charge of the office from Lieut. Hunt.

4TH SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 26.—Subadar Chait Singh, having failed to join the Regiment on the expiration of his furlough, is discharged the service, from the date on which he proceeded on leave.

3RD REGIMENT SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 27.—The following Native-commissioned Non-commissioned Officers and men, not having rejoined from furlough, are to be struck off the strength of the Regiment, from the date of proceeding on leave.

Subadar	Banee Sookul.
2.—Subadar	Person Tewary.
Jemadar	Ramchurn Opadiah.
Havildar	Gunnaee Missr.
,,	Ujodiah Tewary.
,,	Lullock Pattuck.
,,	Suropdeen Singh.
5.—Havildar	Saheb Singh.
,,	Dureo Opadiah.
,,	Koowar Panday.
,,	Heera Singh.
,,	Moteeram
10.—Havildar	Motee Singh.
Naicks.—	Sewmohun Singh.
,,	Dabeedeen.
,,	Buldeo.
,,	Chundka.
5.—Naick	Kalka.
,,	Gunga.
,,	Indul Singh.
,,	Kassee Singh.
,,	Buctawur
10.—Naick.—	Goordeen.
11.—Naick.—	Sungram Singh.
Sepoy	Buldeo Tewary.
,,	Jahan Khan,
,,	Gureeb Khan.
,,	Goorbux.
5.—Sepoy	Gower Khan.
,,	Mangtha Singh.
,,	Seuk Singh.
,,	Dabeedeen.
,,	Matadeen.
10.—Sepoy	Heera Lall.
,,	Pertab Singh.
,,	Ukbur Singh.
,,	Ram Sing.
,,	Sridhur Singh.
15.—Sepoy	Bheemdeo.
,,	Nurbeer.
,,	Gowree SunkurPanday.
,,	Summoond Singh.
,,	Ram Sorun Singh.
20.—Sepoy	Senpal Misser.
,,	Foorsutt.
,,	Bhowanee.

"	Sahil Opadiah.
"	Issur Singh.
25.—Sepoy	Person.
"	Boodee bull.
"	Jeetman.
"	Gurkhoo.
"	Rottun Singh.
30.—Sepoy	Judh Singh.
"	Razaie.
32.—Sepoy	Toolsee Singh.

LAHORE LIGHT HORSE.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 28.—Captain T. R. Snow, for three months, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for leave to the Cape and Australia, on medilca certificate, on the old Regulations, in extension of the leave granted him in P. O. No. 544, dated 22nd December, 1857.

TOWANAH HORSE.

No. 29.—Khadur Bux, Native Doctor, is appointed to do duty with the Towanah Horse, under Captain Souter, with effect from the date on which he joined.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 30.—Supernumerary Jemadar Chet Sing, is transferred from the 16th Punjab Infantry, with effect from the 1st January, 1858.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

TRANSFER.

Mr. A. K. Blackall, Extra Assistant Commissioner, from the Goojranwalla to the Mooltan District.

Genl Dept., No. 51 3 dated 12th Jan., 1858.

LEAVE.

Mr. Assistant Commissary, J. Symms, attached to the Jhelum Division of Public Works, for 6 months, preparatory to his appearing before a Medical Committee.

P. W. Dept., No. 42.3, dated 14th Jany, 858.

EDWARD PASKE,

Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of Government, in the Financial Department, is published for general information :—

No. 4,812 A.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 13th November, 1857.

Read an Extract from the Proceedings of this Government in the Home Department, No. 2321, dated the 9th instant, forwarding for consideration, Copy of a Despatch from the Hon'ble Court, together with a Memorandum by the Secretary in that Department, on the subject of granting assistance to sufferers in consequence of the mutinies.

Resolution.—The Hon'ble Court, in their Public Despatch, No. 118 of 1857, dated the 26th August, having expressed an anxious desire that every measure of succour within the power of the Government should be promptly afforded to the survivors of those who have suffered from the loss of relations and property during the recent disturbances, especially to the Widows and Orphans of Civil and Military Officers, who have fallen victims to the outbreak, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council considers that the different ways in which aid may be suitably afforded by the Government, are as follows :—

1st —By grants of money to European and Native Civil and Military Officers of the Government, who have lost the whole, or a large portion of their property, by the mutinies.

2nd.—By Pensions to the families of Uncovenanted Officers of the Government who have been killed in the mutinies, and have not left means, either in property or in claims on any Insurance or Charitable Fund.

3rd.—By the grant of relief to the Bengal Military Fund, to enable it to meet the liabilities thrown upon it in consequence of the mutinies.

4th.—By grants of money to Europeans and others not in the service of the Government.

5th.—By Pensions to the destitute families of Europeans, killed in the mutinies.

6th.—By free passages on board Government Steamers.

2.—With regard to grants of money to European and Native Officers of Government, His Lordship in Council is of opinion that the following principle should be observed :—

1st.—That grants to Military Officers should be adjusted according to the scale allowed under the Pay and Audit Regulations to Officers of Artillery and Infantry, as compensation for the loss of Baggage and Camp Equipage when on duty in the field, viz. :—

To a Colonel, ...	Rs.	3,980	0	0
Ditto Lieutenant Colonel, ..	,,	3,137	0	0
Ditto Major,..	,,	2,813	0	0
Captain, ...	,,	2,024	0	0
Subaltern, ...	,,	1,450	0	0
Deputy and Asst. Comry.,	,,	1,450	0	0
Conductors, Apothecaries and Stewards, ..	,,	920	15	0
Assistant Apothecaries and Stewards, ..	,,	606	14	1

To Native Officers one month's pay and full Batta :—

2nd.—That grants to Covenanted Civil Officers should be regulated on the same scale according to their relative rank.

3rd.—That grants to Uncovenanted Civil Offi-

cers should be awarded according to the undermentioned scale :—

If on Salaries of Rs. 500 a month, or upwards, ..	Rs. 2,000
If on salaries of Rs. 250 a month, or upwards, ..	„ 1,000
If on salaries of Rs. 100 a month, or upwards, ..	„ 500
If on salaries of Rs. 50 a month, or upwards, ...	„ 200
If on salaries of Rs. 25 a month, or upwards, ..	„ 100
If on salaries in excess of 10 Rs. a month, ..	„ 50

It being understood in every case, whatever the amount of the Officer's salary, that no donation or pension shall be sanctioned until it be ascertained that the applicant (whether European, East Indian, or Native,) has in no way been concerned in the mutinies.

3. In every case also a declaration, on honor, should be required from the officer concerned, to the effect, that he has lost property to the full value of the sum awardable to him.

4.—Claims to grants under this head should be preferred by Civil Officers and Military Officers in Civil employ, to the authority of the district in which the loss occurred, and submitted by him, after such enquiry, and with such remarks as he may think necessary, to the Commissioner of the Division, who should be authorized to admit or reject the claim subject, in the case of rejection, to an appeal to the local Government, whose decision should be final.

5.—Claims to grants under this head by Military Officers on Regimental or Staff duty should be made to their Commanding Officer or the Head of their Department, who, after such enquiry as he may think necessary, may admit or reject the claims subject, in the case of rejection to an appeal to this Government.

6.—No grant under this head will be made to the Estate, or family of a deceased Officer, the object being to enable Officers to supply themselves with necessary equipment without incurring debt, and no grant will be made to any Officer whose loss may seem to have occurred through any fault or neglect of his own.

7.—With respect to the Pensions to be granted to the destitute widows and children of Uncovenanted Officers, who have lost their lives in consequence of the mutinies. His Lordship in Council observes that no fixed Rule exists for the determination of the amount of pensions, provided for their families by the subscribers to the Uncovenanted Service. Family Pension Fund; but that the subscriptions to the Fund appear to be for the most part, in proportion to the salaries of the Several Members; and His Lordship in Council is of opinion that it will be equitable in granting Pensions in the cases under consideration, to divide the applicants into classes, with reference to the salaries drawn by the deceased Officers, in somewhat the same manner as is proposed for the regulation of donations to Officers who have lost property, and to award Pensions equal to the average amount of Pensions subscribed for by Members of the Fund of each Class.

8th.—The Classes will be as follows :—

1st.—Cases, in which the deceased men were drawing salaries of 500 Rupees a month and upwards.

2nd.—Cases, in which the deceased men were drawing salaries of 300 Rupees a month and less than 500 Rupees.

3rd.—Cases, in which the deceased men were drawing 200 Rupees a month and less than 300 Rupees.

4th.—Cases, in which the deceased men were drawing 100 Rupees a month, and less than 200 Rupees.

5th.—Cases, in which the deceased men were drawing 50 Rupees a month, and less than 100 Rupees.

9th.—Cases, in which the deceased men were drawing less than 50 Rupees a month, will be decided with reference to the peculiar circumstances of each, on the understanding that, as a general rule, Pensions to widows shall not be granted in excess of one-fifth of the pay of the deceased Officers, or to children in excess of one-fourth of the Pensions of the widows.

10th.—In all cases, the Pensions of widows shall cease on re-marriage, those of sons, on their attaining the age of 18 years, and those of daughters on marriage.

11th.—In exceptional cases, Pensions will be allowed to other female relatives.

12th.—All applications for such Pensions must be submitted in the usual manner through the Local Civil Authorities.

13th.—As regards the grant of relief to the Military Fund, the Governor General in Council considers, that it will be more advisable to undertake the annual payment of the Pensions of those who have become entitled to them, than to make over to the Fund a sum equal to the present value of those Pensions.

14th.—With reference to grants of money to Europeans not in the service of the Goverment, His Lordship in Counsil considers, that such grants should be given on the same principle as those allowed to the European and Native Officers of the Government; that is to say, to those who have lost all, or nearly all their property in consequence of the mutinies, and who have not the means of setting themselves up again either in business, or otherwise.

15th—Similar grants will be made to those persons not being Europeans, who may be certified, by any officer authorized by Government to give the certificate, to have sustained damage in consequence of, or whilst rendering active assistance to the Government.

16th.—In no case should a grant under this head exceed Rupees 2,000, the maximum allowed to Uncovenanted Officers, and the amount should be regulated according to the circumstance of each case.

17th.—Applications for grants under this head should be made to the Local Civil Officers, and submitted by them to the Commissioners of Divisions, after such enquiry, and with such remarks as may be deemed necessary. The Commissioners will submit a general statement of such claims for the final decision of the Local Government.

18*th*—Pensions to the destitute families of Europeans not in the service of Government, killed in the mutinies, will be granted on the same terms as to the families of Uncovenanted Civil Servants of the Government, regard being had to the circumstances of life in each case, and special consideration being shewn for the families of those who may have died in the temporary service of the state.

19*th*.—Free passages in Government and private Steamers, have been granted already to all women and children, proceeding from the stations up the country to Bengal. A similar indulgence will be allowed to such persons returning to their homes when the prohibition against residence in the disturbed districts is removed.

20*th*.—This indulgence, however, will be restricted to passages on board Government steamers, or in private steamers, taken up by the Government for the conveyance of stores, on the understanding that it will not be allowed to interfere with the conveyance of troops, or of persons proceeding up the country on the public service.

Order.—Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Home Department, for the issue of the necessary orders, and that the original Memorandum received therefrom, be returned, with an intimation that a scale of Pensions to be granted to the Widows and Orphans of Uncovenanted Servants of Government, killed in the mutinies, referred to in Paragraph 7, of the Resolution, will follow.

(A true extract.)

(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,

(True copy)
EDWARD PASKE,
Officiating Secretary to Chief Commr.

The following Government Circular in the Public Works Department, is published for general information :—

CIRCULAR No. 5710

From

CAPTAIN H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To

SIR J. LAWRENCE, K. C. B.,
Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

P. W. Department.
Public.

Dated the 27th November, 1857.

SIR,—With the view of ensuring due attention to the importance of expedition in the operations of the Department of Public Works, the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has been pleased to lay down the following Rule :—

In every case in which the execution of work is ordered, there shall be an intimation of the period by which it is expected to be completed. In the case of work sanctioned by Government or by a Chief Engineer, it shall, as a general rule be left to the Superintending Engineer to prescribe the time within which the work is to be done ; and if it be a work which will take more than a season to complete, he shall also intimate the progress expected to be made in the first season.

In the case of minor works done on the requisition of the local authorities, the period of expected completion may be stated by the local Officers in the requisition ; and the subordinate on the spot will bring to the Executive Engineer's notice cases in which the time fixed may be unreasonable, failing which he will be held responsible for not finishing the work in time.

I have the honor to be,
SIR,
Your most obedient Servant
(Sd.) H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. af India.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 27th November, 1857.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secretary to Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 9TH JANUARY, 1858.

2ND BATTALION POLICE N. W. P.

No. 31.—The following men are transferred from the Guide Corps, with effect from the 1st current :—

Sepoy	Mehtab Sing,
,,	Dew Sing.
,,	Mitta Sing.
,,	Jowahir Sing.
5.—Sepoy	Tegha Sing.
,,	Dewa Sing
,,	Surmook Sing.
,,	Punjab Sing.
,,	Heera Sing, 1st
10.—Sepoy	Golab Sing.
,,	Jhunda Sing.
,,	Dyan Sing.
,,	Heera Sing, 2nd.
,,	Sahib Sing, 1st.
15—Sepoy	Mewah Sing.
,,	Futteh Sing.
,,	Roopa.
,,	Gunda Sing.
,,	Jodha Sing.
20.—Sepoy	Meer Sing.
,,	Khurruck Sing.
,,	Uttur Sing.
,,	Wuzeer Sing.
,,	Heera Sing, 3rd
25.—Sepoy	Bhugwan Sing.
,,	Sahib Sing.
,,	Tegha Sing.
,,	Doona Sing.
,,	Chet Sing.
30.—Sepoy	Mungul Sing.
,,	Kishen Sing.
,,	Heera Sing, 4th
,,	Sadaugur Sing.
,,	Beer Sing.
35.—Sepoy	Hurree Sing.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 32.—The following Non-Commissioned

Officers and men are transferred from the Guide Corps, with effect from the 1st current :—

Havildar Kassim Ali.
" Nujjoo Khan.
3.—Havildar Lukmere Sing.
Naick Motee.
2.—Naick Ruttun Sing.
Sepoy Mokumdeen.
" Alla Sing.
" Bogh Sing.
" Kurreem-oolla.
5.—Sepoy Hoakma.
" Makhun Sing.
" Jymul Sing.
" Alladad.
9.—Sepoy Dyal Sing.

SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 33.—With reference to Punjab Order No. 425, dated 16th November, 1857, Thomas Fernandez, having passed a successful examination at Rawul Pindee, is admitted to the service as an Assistant Apothecary from the 1st instant.

1ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

No. 34.—Local Ensign J. H. Prior, doing duty with the 1st Punjab Infantry, is granted an extension of leave on medical certificate, to remain at Meean Meer, for two months, from the 1st January, 1858.

3RD BATTALION PUNJAB POLICE.

No. 35.—Captain J. Wedderburn, 69th and Lieut. W. Cadell, 62nd N. I., are appointed to do duty with a Detachment of the 3rd Police Battalion, proceeding towards Kurrachee, with life Prisoners, and are sanctioned an allowance of Rupees 137 each per mensem, while so employed.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 36.—Assistant Surgeon R. Westcott, late of the Bhopaul Contingent, is appointed to the medical charge.

LAHORE, 11TH JANUARY, 1858.

No. 37.—The undermentioned tranfers made from the late Landour Levy, on the 1st December, 1857, are notified.

13TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

3 Havildars, 3 Naicks and 74 Sepoys.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

3 Havildars, 3 Naicks and 94 Sepoys.

2ND SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 38 :—

Names.	To what rank promoted appointed.	From what date.	In whose room.
Meeah Singh, ...	Ressaldar,	1st Nov., 1857,	
Durvish Ali Khan, ...	Ditto,	1st Dec., 1857,	
Jowahir Singh, ...	Ditto,	1st Jany., 1858,	From 17th Irr. Cav.
Sooltan Singh, ...	Ressaidar,	1st Novr., 1857,	
Manuck Chund,...	Ditto,	Ditto,	To complete the Establishment.
Buchuttur Singh, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Goolab Singh, ...	Naib Ressaldar,	Ditto,	
Abdool Razak Khan,...	Ditto,	1st Dec., 1857,	
Kan Singh,...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Jhind Ali Shah,...	Ditto,	Ditto,	From Jhung Mounted Police.
Hookum Singh....	Jemadar,	1st Nov., 1857,	
Murdan Ali Khan, ...	Ditto,	1st Dec., 1857,	
Doona Singh, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	From Mounted Police, Mooltan.
Assa Singh, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Goolab Singh, ...	Ditto,	1st Jany., 1858,	From 17th Irr. Cav.

The amount of the difference between the pay of Naib Ressaldar Jhind Ali Shah, and Jemadars Doona Sing and Assa Sing, in their present position in the 2nd Sikh Irregular Cavalry, and that which they drew in their former position as Jemadars in the Punjab Mounted Police, will be drawn for in Monthly Contingent Bills, by the Officer Commanding the Regiment, to be submitted to the Chief Commissioner, and adjusted by the Civil Auditor, Punjab.

2ND BATTALION POLICE, N. W. P.

No. 39.—Lieutenant A. Pullan, from the 4th Sikh Infantry, is appointed to do duty, and directed to proceed and join forthwith.

JHOUDPORE SIKH HORSE.

No. 40.—3rd Class Native Doctor Mohomed Khan, is appointed from the 16th Native Infantry

LAHORE, 12TH JANUARY, 1858.

2ND BATTALION POLICE, N. W. P.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 41.—Captain G. F. Berry, H. M.'s 24th Regiment, Commanding 2nd Battalion Police,

N. W. P., is allowed one month's leave of absence, to remain at Lahore, on urgent private affairs.

JHOUDPORE SIKH CAVALRY.

No. 42.—Duffadars Nutteh Khan and Dalail Khan, the former from the late 1st Oude Cavalry, and the latter from the late Jhoudpore Legion, are appointed as Supernumerary Duffadars.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 43.—Captain R. Ousely, late 34th N. I., to officiate as 2nd in Command, in the room of Lieut F. R. Aikman, appointed officiating 2nd in Command, 3rd Sikh Irregular Cavalry.

HURRIANA FIELD FORCE.

No. 44.—The following Orders by General VanCortlandt, Commanding, are confirmed :—

27th Oct., 1857.—Assistant Surgeon A. Tomkyns, to afford medical aid to the Jail, Civil, and Stud Establishments of Hissar,

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

15th Nov., 1857.—Assistant Surgeon Waghorn, to proceed to Fort Kanoud, to relieve Sub-Assistant Surgeon Minas, of the medical charge, when the latter will proceed to resume his duties at Sirsa.

15th Dec., 1857.—Assistant Surgeon a Tomkyns, to receive charge of the Jail, Civil, and Stud Establishments of Hissar, from Assistant Surgeon Waghorn, in addition to his other duties.

MOOLTANEE HORSE.

No. 45.—Lieut. J. J. Russell, late 46 N. I., appointed to do duty by Delhi Field Force Orders, of the 29th September, 1857, is sanctioned, the usual allowance of an Officer, doing duty with a Mounted Corps, viz. 167 Rs. per mensem, from date of joining his appointment.

2ND BATTALION POLICE, N. W. P.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 46 :—

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Phool Singh, ...	Subadar,	26th Dec , 1857,	To fill existing vacancies.
Hookoom Singh, ...	Ditto.	Ditto,	
Havildars.			
Burnain Singh, ...	Jemadar,	Ditto,	
Anoop Singh,...	Ditto,	Ditto,	

PUTTIALA AND JHEEND CONTINGENT.

No. 47.—The appointment of Lieut. A. P. Mew, of the late 74th N. I., to do duty with the Troops of the Rajah of Jheend, (from the 19th May, to the 12th August, 1857,) is confirmed.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 48.—Lieut. R. A. Hamilton, (late 10th Light Cavalry,) from the Towana Horse Ressala of Futteh Shere Khan to be Officiating Adjutant.

2ND BATTALION POLICE, N. W. P.

No. 49.—Native Doctor Fuzzoolla Khan, from the 9th Light Cavalry, placed at the Chief Commissioner's disposal, is posted to the 2nd Battalion Police, N. W. P.

2ND BATTALION POLICE, N. W. P.

No. 50.—Transferred, with effect from the 12th January, 1858.

Naick Kan Singh,
Sepoy Ram Singh,
„ Jowahir Singh,
„ Huzara Singh,
„ Bhola Singh,
„ Googur Singh,
„ Goomuck Singh,
„ Nehal Singh,
„ Goordit Singh,
} From 7th Punjab Police Battalion.

„ Heera Singh, from 1st Punjab Police Battalion.

CORPS OF GUIDES.

No. 51.—The Infantry Corps of Guides, will, in future, consist of 8 Companies of 80 instead of 73 Sepoys each as at present. No increase however to be made to the Commissioned and Non-Commissioned grades.

LAHORE, 13TH JANUARY, 1858.

2ND SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 52.—With the concurrence of the Major General Commanding in the Upper Provinces.

The following transfers are directed from the 17th Irregular Cavalry, with effect from the 1st Current.

Duffadar	Luchmun Singh.
„	Busunt Singh.
„	Dalail Singh.
4.—Duffadar	Gunga Singh.
Sowar .	Ameer Khan.
„	Phoola Singh.
„	Soomere Singh.
„	Ulbel Singh.
5.—Sowar	Hurdeo Singh.
„	Luchmun Singh.
„	Nyn Singh.
8.—Sowar	Goormuk Singh.

4TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 53.—Dera Ismael Khan Station Order, by Colonel Macdonald, Commanding of the 30th July, 1857, directing the entertainment of Shaick Kurreem Buksh, as a 3rd Class Native Doctor, and appointing him to do duty with the 4th Punjab Cavalry, is confirmed.

GUIDE CORPS.

No. 54.—The following Native Officers and men are promoted in and admitted to the Order of Merit, in consideration of their conspicuous gallantry in the Field.

Ressaldar Mahomed Khan, from the 2nd to the 1st Class, from 20th August, 1857.

Subadar Koodrutoolla, to the 3rd Class, from 14th September, 1857.

Jemadar Prem Sing, to the 3rd Class, from the 10th September, 1857.

Kote Duffadar Mookhtyar Alli, Ditto ditto.

Naick Jey Sing, to the 3rd Class, from the 1st August, 1857.

Sowar Isnee Sing, do. from 18th Aug., 1857.
" Abdool Rahman, do. " 16th June, 1857.
" Nehal Sing,
" Otum Sing,
" Ghazee,
" Kurrum,
" Radha Sing,
" Kassim Alli, } ditto 10th Sept., 1857.
Bugler Goordete,
" Actar Bolund, } ditto 9th June, 1857.

11TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 55.—The Regimental Order of the 30th December, 1857, by Captain E. S. Denniss, Commanding, appointing Ensign F. Hammond, 62nd N. I., to officiate as Adjutant in the room of Lieutenant A. P. Mew, appointed to the Command of the Jhoudpore Sikh Horse, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 14TH JANUARY, 1858.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 56.—The following Resalas of Mooltanee Horse men, having volunteered for service in Hindoostan. They will be formed into. "The Mooltanee Regiment of Cavalry" from this date.

Ressaldar Kaleh Khan's ... Ressala.
" Saleh Mahomed Khan's "
" Abdool Kurreem Shah's "
" Mahomed Khan Bubur "
" Huk Newaz Khan's ...... "
6 " Naser Khan's... ... ... "

Each Ressala to consist of 100 Sowars, with whatever complement of Native Officers now belongs to it.

To each Native Officer and Sowar, the same pay he now receives will be continued, but no sowar will receive less than Rs. 20 per mensem, from this date.

When casualties occur, the number and grades of Native Officers will conform in all respects to those of a Corps of Irregular Cavalry.

The following will be allowed for each Ressala :—

1 Nishanchee, at (per mensem), ... 30
1 Nagarachee, " 30
1 Moonshee, " 30
4 Bhistees, at 5 per each, ... 20
a nd for the Regts.,
2 Native Hakeems at 60 each, ... 120

The following appointments are directed, Captain C. Cureton, from the 2nd Regiment Irregular Cavalry, to officiate as commandant of the Mooltanee Regiment of Cavalry, on a consolidated salary of Rs. 800 per mensem :

Lieut. K. Dixon, from the 2nd Regiment Sikh Irregular Cavalry, to officiate as 2nd in command.

Lieut. B. Williams, 51st Regiment N. I, to officiate as Adjutant.

The Pay, &c., of the 2nd in command, and Adjutant, as for Irregular Cavalry.

Gholaum Hussun Khan to be Native Commandant, on a consolidated salary of Rs. 400 per mensem.

No. 57 :—

4TH SIKH INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Tukkee Mahomed,...............	Subadar,	3rd Nov., 1857.	Subadar Abdool Ruhman, deceased.
Havildar.			
Saadut Khan,	Jemadar,	Ditto.	Jemadar Tukkee Mahomed.

No. 58.—The particular attention of all Officers Commanding Regiments of Cavalry and Infantry and Companies of Artillery of the Punjab Force, also of Officers Commanding Police Battalions and Ressalas of Mounted Police, or in charge Levies, is called to Punjab Orders, No. 302, of the 17th October, 1857, and No. 517, of the 14th December last, and every endeavour must be used to prevent the re-entertainment of men who may have belonged to mutinied, or disbanded Corps.

LAHORE, 15TH JANUARY, 1858.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 59.—Naib Ressaldar Sowdagur Sing, is permitted to resign the service from this date at his own request.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 60.—Jemadar Prem Sing,
Sepoy Jhunda Sing,
" Jean Sing,
" Boor Sing,
} from the 2nd Punjab Infantry.

with effect from the 1st December, 1857.

PESHAWUR LIGHT HORSE.

No. 61.—Extra Batta is sanctioned for the Rough Riders, of the 5th Light Cavalry, doing duty, as instructors in the Riding School of the Peshawur Light Horse, thus putting them on the same footing in respect to allowances with the Native Troopers of that Corps, this order to have retrospectice effect.

16TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 62.—Subadar Loodhur Sing to be Native Adjutant from this date.

NO. 3 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

PROMOTION.

No. 63.—Havildar Nund Sing to be Jemadar, in the room of Janee Khan, transferred to 1st Battalion Police, N. W. P.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

DISMISSALS.

General Dept, No. 69, dated 15th Jany., 1858.

The following individuals, dismissed from the Peshawur Division, during the half-year ending 31st December, 1857, are proscribed from further employment in the Punjab :—

Mohummed Sirfirat Alee, Tuhseeldar of Eusofzye, convicted of bribery and extortion.

Fyzul Hoossin, Roobookari Nuvies of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Kohat, for spreading false and treasonable reports.

APPOINTMENT.

General Dept., No. 75-6, dated 18th January, 1858.

Mr P. S. Melvill, Deputy Commissioner of Umballa, returned from Furlough, to resume charge of that District from Mr. T. D. Forsyth.

LEAVE.

P. W. Dept., No. 51-2, dated 18th January, 1858.

Lieut. W. E. Warrand, Executive Engineer, Western Sirhind Division, from the 29th January to the 28th April, 1858, on Medical Certificate, to enable him to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe.

General Dept, No. 79-80, dated 18th January, 1858.

The Reverend E. Godfrey, Chaplain of Subathoo, for three months, from the date of his departure, on Medical Certificate, to enable him to proceed to Kurrachee or Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe.

General Dept., No. 83-4, dated 19th January, 1858.

Lieut. F. J. Millar, Assistant Commissioner of Mooltan, from the 22nd to the 26th December, 1857, on private affairs, in extension of the leave published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 12th December, 1857.

The Reverend J. Sharkey, Chaplain of Peshawur, has obtained an extension, from 1st to 7th January, 1858, of the privilege granted to him for one month, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 12th December, 1857.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secretary.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of Government, in the Financial Department, is published for general information :—

No. 4750.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 29th October, 1857.

READ the undermentioned papers on the subject of the Timber Revenue Establishment in the Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces :—

Financial Resolution, No. 3216, dated 3rd August, 1857.

Extract from the Proceedings of this Government, in the Foreign Department, No. 3772, dated 16th September, 1857.

Office Memorandum from the Financial Department to the Civil Auditor, Fort William, 4045, dated the 25th September, 1857.

Civil Auditor's Report, No. 2088, dated 8th October, 1857, and enclosure.

RESOLUTION.—In the Financial Resolution of the 3rd August last, this Government desired that Captain Briggs, the Officer in charge of the Office of the Commissioner of the Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces, might be called upon to explain how the existing Timber Revenue Establishment there was stated by him as costing *Rupees* 345, when the Civil Auditor's Book of Establishments for April, 1856, gives the cost at *Rupees* 240.

Captain Briggs in reply stated, that the sanctioned Establishment, amounting to Rupees 345,

was so entered in his Treasury Accounts and regularly passed by the Civil Auditor, in whose Department he remarked the error appears to have originated.

The Civil Auditor having been called upon to report on the above point, now submits his Report, on a perusal of which the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council considers the explanation furnished by Captain Briggs not altogether satisfactory. It is evident from Captain Tickell's detailed Statement of Establishments, dated 1st May, 1856, sent for inspection by the Civil Auditor, that only a portion (costing Rupees 240) of the sanctioned strength of the Timber Revenue Establishment was in existence on the above-mentioned date, the rest having been entertained subsequently, which Captain Briggs does not seem to be aware of, and which His Lordship in Council desires may be pointed out to that Officer.

His Lordship in Council further observes, that the Civil Auditor was right in having entered in his Book of Establishments only the amount audited by him for that period, his Books being intended as records of those Establishments only which are in actual existence on the 1st May of every year.

But as this system is attended with some confusion (as in the present instance) in the absence of necessary explanations, His Lordship in Council directs that all Officers who submit detailed Statements of their Establishments to the Civil Auditor at the close of the official year may be instructed to annex a Note to their Statements, showing those items of expenditure which, though sanctioned, have not been actually incurred, and that the Civil Auditor may be desired to follow the same course in embodying their Returns in his General Book of Establishments. By this means the actual amount of expense incurred in any Department, as well as the total amount sanctioned by Government, will be seen at a glance, and the necessity for such correspondence as that now under consideration will be obviated for the future.

* Foreign
Home.
Public Works.

† Bengal' Madras, Bombay.
North-Western Provinces.
Central Provinces.
Strait's Settlements.
Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Departments* and Governments† noted in the margin, for information and guidance, and for communication to all Officers concerned.

Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the Civil Auditor, Fort Willliam, and that the original Enclosure of his letter be returned.

‡ Accountant General to the Government of India.
Sub Treasurer, Fort William.
Secy. Govt. Savings' Bank.
Calcutta Mint Committee.

Ordered, that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Officers noted in the margin ‡ for information and guidance.

(A True Extract)

(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secertary to Chief Commr.

The following Government letter, in the Financial Department, is published for general information :—

No. 4796.

To

W. P. PALMER, ESQUIRE,
Civil Auditor,
Fort William.

Financial Dept.,

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter, No. 2173, dated the 21st Ultimo, on the subject of Notices of Leave of Absence granted to Uncovenanted Servants sent to your Office.

2. It appears that your Office makes deductions on account of Leave of Absence only from the Salaries of those Uncovenanted Servants who receive their appointments direct from Government, but that in all cases in which Clerks and other *Ministerial* Officers are allowed Leave of Absence, the Head of the Department or Office, in which they are employed, is left to make the deductions, your Office simply passing the Salary Abstract of such Establishment without taking cognizance of the deductions made therein by the Head of the Department or Office, provided the Rule laid down in the Financial Resolution of the 8th December, 1843, is not infringed.

3. In reply, I am desired to inform you, that the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is of opinion that the practice of your Office is incorrect. The Rules of the 22nd February, 1856, he observes, are applicable to "All Officers in the Uncovenanted Service of Government who may be in the receipt of Salaries of Rupees 100 a month and upwards," and it seems to His Lordship in Council that your Office ought invariably to make the deductions provided for in the Rules, in every case in which Leave is granted to such Officers under the Rules, whether it be granted by Government, or by Officers to whom power to act upon the Rules may have been delegated by Government.

4. In respect to Officers drawing Salaries of less than 100 Rupees a Month, it has been ruled, in the Financial Resolution of the 6th February, 1857, that the Heads of Offices should, in granting Leave, be guided by the spirit of the Rules prescribed for those Servants who are in the receipt of Salaries of Rupees 100 a Month and upwards, and that all cases in which Leave is so granted to Uncovenanted Servants whose Salaries are less than 100 Rupees per Month, shall be reported to the Civil Auditor and the Military Auditor General, respectively, in the manner prescribed in the Orders of the 25th July last; *viz.*, that the Auditors should be furnished, on the 1st May in each year, with "An Annual Return, showing the Leave of Absence granted during the year (preceding) under the new Uncovenanted Civil Service Absentee Rules, to those Uncovenanted Servants whose Leave might not have been notified in the *Gazette.*"

5. But this arrangement seems to His Lordship in Council to be insufficient. It does not provide, as it ought to do, for deductions from Salary by the Offices of Audit, and His Lordship in Council therefore directs, that in future all cases, in which Leave not notified in the *Government Gazette* is granted to Uncovenanted Servants in excess of the few days provided for in the Fi-

MONTHLY STATEMENT of Leave of Absence granted to Uncovenanted Servants drawing more than 10 *Rupees per Mensem for the Month of* 185 .

Name of Absentee.	Office held by Absentee.	Monthly Salary of Absentee.		Section of Rules under which Leave is granted, or nature of Leave.	Period of Leave.	Amount of deduction from Salary.		Name of Substitute (if any.)	Amount payable to Substitute.		Net Amount to be retrenched from Pay Abstract for the above Month.		REMARKS.
A. B. ...	Head Assistant,	600	0 0	Section V. Chap. II.	Nine Months, from 1st Jan. to 30th Sept. 1859,	300	0 0	E. F. ..	300	0 0	0	0 0	
C. D. ...	5th Assistant,...	200	0 0	Section VII. Chap. III.	Fifteen days, from 1st to 15th March 1859,..	0	0 0	None. ...	0	0 0	0	0 0	
G. H. ...	21st Assistant,	60	0 0	Private Affairs, ...	Five Months, from 1st Jan. to 31st May 1859,	30	0 0	L. M....	30	0 0	0	0 0	
O. P. ..	30th Assistant,	20	0 0	Ditto, ...	Ditto,..................	20	0 0	X. Y. ...	20	0 0	0	0 0	No Substitute procurable on less than whole pay.
Y. Z. ..	Moonshee, ...	40	0 0	Sick Leave, ...	One Month, *viz.*, March 1859,	20	0 0	None. ...	0	0 0	20	0 0	
											Total, 20	0 0	

nancial Resolution, No. 2520, dated the 12th June, 1857, shall be reported *Monthly* (instead of Annually) to the Civil Auditor or the Military Auditor General, as the case may be, in the Form entered in the margin ; the Offices of Audit being left to check the amounts entered in the Form at the time the Establishment Bills are sent in to be passed, on the understanding that deductions are invariably to be made, in accordance with the Rules, from the pay of all Absentees whose names are entered in the Form (whether they may be in the receipt of 100 Rupees a Month or less), except when special directions are issued by the Heads of Offices to make *larger* deductions, which may be necessary in cases of Officers drawing less than 100 Rupees, whose duties cannot otherwise be provided for without extra expense to Government.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Sd) C. H. LUSHINGTON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Council Chamber,
The 9th November, 1857.

No. 4807.

Copy forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for information and guidance.

(Sd) C. H. LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(True copy.)

EDWARD PASKE,

Offg. Secretary to Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following Government Letter, in the Financial Department, is published for general information :—

No. 4736.

To

THE ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF FORT ST. GEORGE.

Dated Fort William, the 30th October, 1857.

Financial Department.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter, No. 609, dated the 30th Ultimo, reporting, with reference to the recent Orders of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors ; on the subject of Gratuities to Uncovenanted Servants not entitled to Pension under the Rules ; that the payment of Gratuities in such cases has long been in force in the Madras Presidency under certain Rules approved by this Government in 1835, and enquiring whether these Rules are to be considered as rescinded by the Hon'ble Court's Despatch,* and, if so, whether the detailed Annual Statement called for in para. 15 of the Court's Despatch, is to be furnished to the Hon'ble Court direct or through this Government.

* No. 43 of 1857, dated 24th June. Paras. 11 to 16.

2.—In reply, I am desired to state that the old Rules above adverted to, are to be considered as rescinded by the Hon'ble Court's recent Orders ; that it is not intended that the Gratuities should in any case be sanctioned without

previous reference to this Government; and that it will not, in consequence, be necessary for the Government of Madras to prepare an Annual Statement at all, as the information required by the Hon'ble Court will be forwarded from this Office direct.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt. servant,
(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 4742.

Copy forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for information and guidance.

(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.
(True copy)
EDWARD PASKE,
Officiating Secretary to Chief Commr.

The following EXTRACT from a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, addressed to the Government of India in the Financial (Railway) Department, No. 43 of 1857, dated the 30th September, is published for general information:—

PARA. 3.—It appears to us that the prevention of any misunderstandings of mismanagement in carrying a line of Railway through the Territories of a Foreign Prince, would be best secured by the Government of that Prince and our own Government, each appointing an Agent through whom the business, appertaining to the purchase of land and the course of the line and all dealings between the Railway Company's Officers and the Natives, should alone be carried on.

No. 5970.

COPY of the foregoing forwarded for information to the Chief Commissioner in the the Punjaub, By order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council.

(Sd.) H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
The 15th December, 1857.
(True Copy,)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

The following Correspondence is published for general information:—

No. 4827.

From

G. F. EDMONSTONE, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Government of India,

To

SIR J. LAWRENCE, K. C. B.,
Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

Dated Fort William, the 2nd December, 1857.

Foreign Department.

Dated 26th Nov. No. 2,510.

SIR,—I am directed by the Governor General in Council to transmit, for your information and guidance, the enclosed Copy of a letter from the Secretary in the Home Department, to the address of the Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, approving of certain Rules proposed by the Board of Revenue for securing the interests of the Government against the injury from the use of stamed paper plundered during the existing disturbances.

I have, &c.,
(Sd.) G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Government of India.
Fort William,
The 2nd December, 1857.

No. 2510.

From

C. BEADON, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Government of India.

To

A. R. YOUNG, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.
Dated the 26th November, 1857.

Home Department.

SIR,—The Governor General in Council having considered the report of the Board of Revenue submitted with your letter No. 997, dated the 12th instant, I am directed to inform you that His Lordship in Council has approved the following Rules for securing the interests of Government, against injury from the use of stampled paper plundered during the late disturbances.

2.—The Rules are those proposed by the Board of Revenue with slight modification:—

RULES.

1st.—All stampt paper now in the hands of Vendors, or in the Mofussil Treasuries, to be authenticated by the signature of some one responsible Officer in each district, the date of signing being also affixed.

2nd.—All stampt paper already prepared and hereafter supplied from the Office of Superintendent of stamps, either to be authenticated by the signature of the Superintendent, or to bear a distinguishing mark, in addition to the bicolor stamp and the Treasury counter stamp.

3rd.—All fresh stampt paper prepared in future to bear distinguishing mark.

4th.—A reward of fifteen per cent. to be paid on the value of all plundered stamp paper recovered and brought in an undamaged state to any Mofussil Treasury.

5th.—All unauthenticated stampt papers in the possession of individuals, to be called in by a certain date fixed according to circumstances in each district, but not more than one month from the date of notice. Authenticated stampt paper of equal value to be given for all unauthenticated paper of which the owners can shew, to the satisfaction of the Collector, that it was honestly obtained from the Government and paid for. All other unauthenticated stampt paper to be confiscated.

6th.—No document of later date than that fixed under the preceding rule to be valid for any purpose whatever, unless written on stampt paper authenticated, as above provided.

7th—The possession of plundered stampt paper or Postage Labels, of which a satisfactory account cannot be given, to be punished with the utmost rigor, besides being regarded as evidence of rebellion.

3.—I am directed to suggest that the distinguishing mark required by Rule 3, should be

obtained by altering the counter stamp at the General Treasury, or by substituting for it the embossed stamp proposed by the Superintendent of Stamps. The embossing machine could be readily removed from the Stamp Office to the General Treasury for this purpose.

4.—The Rules should be observed in all Districts supplied with bicolor stamps from the Superintendent's Office in Calcutta, and the Lieutenant Governor will issue such further instructions for carrying them out in the Lower Provinces as may be necessary.

5.—The Enclosures of your letter are returned; copies having been kept for record.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) C. BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India

Council Chamber,
The 26th Nov, 1857.

(True Copy)
(Signed) CHARLES MACLEOD,
Registrar Foreign Dept.

(True Copies,)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offy. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

Lahore,
18th Jany., 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 16TH JANUARY, 1858.

7TH POLICE BATTALION.

No. 64.—PROMOTIONS.—

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Jalum Singh,................	Subadar.	1st Nov., 1857,	To fill existing vacancies.
Havildars.			
Lenah Singh,................	Jemadar,	ditto,	
Soondur Singh,................	ditto,	ditto,	
Ruggoonauth, ...	ditto,	ditto,	

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 65.—Lieut. R. C. Low, from the 4th Punjab Cavalry, is, at his own request, appointed to "do duty."

PATHAN HORSE.

Ressalas of Mahomed Ufzul Khan, Ruza Mahomed Khan and Surfraz Khan.

No. 66.—Major G. W. Stokes, Commandant, consequent upon, and from the date of, his promotion to a Regimental majority in the 59th Regiment Nat. Inf., will be allowed a Staff Salary of Rs. 230 per mensem, in lieu of the consolidated salary assigned to him by Punjab Order No. 19 of 20th August, 1857.

RAJA JOWAHIR SINGH'S CONTINGENT.

No. 67.—The usual Mess Allowance of Rupees 60 per mensem, for Officers of Irregular Corps, is sanctioned for the Officers attached to Raja Jowahir Singh's Contingent, with effect from the 1st instant.

ERRATUM.

Punjab Order No. 497, dated 9th December, 1857, Promotions 1st line, read "from 1st January, 1858," instead of "from 1st January, 1857."

LAHORE, 18TH JANUARY, 1858.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 68.—In continuation of P. O. No. 60, dated 15th current, Lieut. C. Shaw will be pleased to transfer a draft of 218 Recruits from the Depôt of the 2nd Punjab Infantry at Lahore.

15TH (PIONEERS) PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 69.—Assistant Surgeon J. Wilson is transfered from the 21st Punjab Infantry.

LAHORE, 19TH JANUARY, 1858.

No. 70.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 2379.

From

G. PATON, ESQUIRE,
Post Master General, N. W. P.,

To

LIEUT. COLONEL MACPHERSON,
Military Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

Dated Camp Kurnal, 5th January, 1858.

Genl. Department.

Sir,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 8780, of the 16th ultimo, and in re-

ply to state for the information of the Chief Commissioner, that I have given direction for the refund of the postage in question, and informed the Deputy Pay Master that the families of European Soldiers are entitled to a continuance of the privilege of sending and receiving letters and small parcels free of postage, so long as the soldiers are on Field Service.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. PATON,

Post Master General, N. W. P.

12TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 71.—Lieutenant R. Gibson, H. M.'s 87th Foot, to do duty with the Detachment of the 12th Punjab Infantry, at Murree.

1ST BATTALION POLICE, N. W. P.

PROMOTION.

No. 72.—Native Adjutant Meea Singh, to be Native Commandant of the Battalion.

PUNJAB IRREGULAR FORCE.

No. 73.—In conformity to G. G. O. No. 1585 of the 15th December, 1857, and No. 1599 of the 17th October, 1857, Brigadier General N. B. Chamberlain, C. B., re-appointed Brigadier Commandant of the P. I. Force, will resume his duties, with effect from that date. All Reports to be made made to him accordingly.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 74.—Assistant Surgeon J. C. Corbyn, in joint medical charge of the Jummoo Contingent, is transferred to the medical charge of the 3rd Sikh Irregular Cavalry.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 75.—The Regimental Order of the 3rd January, 1858, by Major J. L. Vaughan, Commanding, directing Lieut. and Officiating 2nd in Command, W. S. Hoste, to act as Adjutant, in the room of Lieut. VanderGucht, removed to the 18th Punjab Infantry, is confirmed.

PESHAWUR LIGHT HORSE.

No. 76.—The Peshawur Division Order of the 6th January, 1858, by Major General S. Cotton, Commanding, directing Captain Stallard, Remount Agent, to purchase and pass into the service, 12 horses as Remounts, for the Native Troops of the Peshawur Light Horse, is confirmed.

11TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 77.—Lieut. H. C. Cattley, to be Officiating Adjutant in the room of Lieut. and Officiating Adjutant Mew, appointed to the Joudpore Sikh Horse.

No. 78.—The Dera Ghazee Khan Station Order of the 11th January, 1858, by Major G. Gordon, Commanding, directing Assistant Surgeon W. Delprat, 3rd Punjab Cavalry (consequent on the departure of Assistant Surgeon C. A. Poole) to afford medical aid to the Jail and Civil Establishment of Dera Ghazee Khan, and to assume medical charge of the Right Wing, 1st Sikh Infantry, of the Detachment of No. 1 Punjab Light Field Battery, and of the Detachment of the 2nd Belooch Battalion, in addition to his other duties, is confirmed.

15TH (PIONEERS) PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 79.—On the march from Lahore towards Googaira of the 15th (Pioneer) Regiment Punjab Infantry, to which no Medical Establishment has yet been appointed, Civil Surgeon C. M. Smith, M. D., is directed to arrange for the transfer of the whole of the Subordinate Medical Establishment at present attached to the Anarkullee Depôt Hospital to this regiment; and, as a temporary measure, will have the duties of the Depôt Hospital carried on by the aid of the Establishment of the Civil Hospital.

The entertainment of a Bhistee and sweeper for the Depôt Hospital is sanctioned.

2ND SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 80.—Lieut. P. S. Yorke, doing duty as a Supernumerary, is appointed to "do duty," in the room of Lieutenant Boileau, appointed Adjutant.

LAHORE, 20TH JANUARY, 1858.

1ST SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 81.—The following Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men having failed to rejoin from Furlough, are dismissed the service from the 15th April last:—

1.—Subadar Ramchurn Singh.
Jemadar Bheek Singh.
2.—Jemadar Bindah Singh
Havildar Cassum Ally Khan.
" Nuckched Singh.
" Rampersand Singh.
" Sewah Singh.
5.—Havildar Bhownath Singh.
Naick Khoob Singh.
" Mungul.
" Alloopee Singh.
4.—Naick Rutton Singh.
Sepoy Dillawur Khan.
" Nowl.
" Golab Khan 1st.
" Golab Khan.
5.—Sepoy Luchmun.
" Sunt Sam.
" Rannya Singh.
" Balgobind Singh.
" Sewruttun Singh.
10.—Sepoy Hunnoman Singh.
" Tecka.
" Uman Singh.
" Matadeen.
" Sew Singh.
15.—Sepoy Bhowaneedeen.
" Meer Sher Ally.
" Koonjbeharee.
" Bhugwan Singh.
" Pursnath Singh.
20.—Sepoy Mahabehr Singh.
21.—Sepoy Ghumoondah Singh.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 82.—The Peshawur Division Order of the

4th January, 1858, by Major General S. Cotton, Commanding, directing Lieutenant Stewart, doing duty with the 8th Punjab Infantry, to join the 5th Punjab Infantry, in view to his officiating as Adjutant, is confirmed.

PESHAWUR EURASIAN COMPANY.

No. 83.—The Peshawur Brigade Order of the 24th October, 1857, by Colonel T. G. Galloway, Commanding, directing the entertainment of two Bhistees and two Sweepers for the Company, is confirmed.

HUZARA MOUNTAIN TRAIN.

No. 84.—12 Sikh Artillery Recruits are transferred from the Hooshearpore Levy, to have effect from the 1st February, 1858.

LAHORE, 21ST JANUARY, 1858.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 85.—Lieutenant R. B. Hill, from the 5th Regiment Punjab Infantry, to officiate as Adjutant.

Lieutenant Hill is directed to proceed and join the 23rd Regiment Punjab Infantry at Kanound forthwith.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 86.—Unattached Lieut. W. Sheffield, "doing duty" with the 22nd Punjab Infantry, is permitted, at his own request, to resign that appointment, with effect from the 12th instant.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 87.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 56, dated 14th January, Ressaldar Kulleh Khan is appointed Native Adjutant.

LAHORE, 22ND JANUARY, 1858.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 88.—Captain D. Kemp, late 5th Native Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Commandant, during the absence of Captain Bloomfield on sick certificate.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 89.—Lieut. and Adjutant D. N. Probyn, to officiate as 2nd in Command, in the room of Lieutenant Nicholson proceeded on Furlough to Europe.

Lieutenant F. J. MacDonnell, (Officiating Adjutant, 12th Punjab Infantry,) doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant *vice* Lieut. Probyn.

JUMMOO AUXILIARY FORCE.

No. 90.—The Order of the 10th December, 1857, by Captain W. J. F. Stafford, Commanding a Detachment of the Hurrianna Field Force, directing Sub-Assistant Surgeon P. A. Minas, in medical charge of the 23rd Punjab Infantry, to afford medical aid to the Sick of a Regiment of the Auxiliary Force, at Kanound, is confirmed.

TOWANNA HORSE.

Ressala of Mullik Mahomed Shere Khan, and Sahib Khan.

No. 91.—Lieut. J. Angelo, Officiating Adjutant, to officiate as 2nd in command.

Lieutenant J. Upperton, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 92.—The Regimental Order of the 25th December, 1857, by Capt. J. B. Thelwall, Commanding, directing Lieutenant and Adjutant R. H. Huddlestone to officiate as 2nd in command, in addition to his other duties in the room of Captain Iremonger, permitted to resign the appointment, is confirmed.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 93.—The Regimental Order of the 27th September, 1857, by Lieut. W. Paul, assuming command of the Regiment on joining, is confirmed.

1ST PUNJAB CAVALRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 94.—Lieutenant and Adjutant C. S. McLean, from the 19th December, 1857, to the 19th March, 1858, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe on Medical certificate, on the new Rules.

1ST SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 95.—The transfer from the Leia Levy, to the 1st Sikh Infantry of 50 men, is directed with effect from the date upon which they may have been made over.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 96.—PROMOTIONS :—

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Sahebzada Noor, ...	Subadar,	22nd July, 1857,	To complete the Establishment.
Havildars.			
Khurruk Singh, ...	Jemadar,	Ditto,	To complete the Establishment.
Jowahir Singh, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	Jemadar Sahebzada promoted.

2ND PUNJAB INFANTRY DEPOT.

No. 97.—The transfer of 50 Recruits from the Hooshearpore Levy, to the Depôt of the 2nd Punjab Infantry, at Lahore, is directed.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 98.—Punjab Order, No. 36 of the 9th instant, appointing Assistant Surgeon R. Westcott, to the Medical charge of the 5th Punjab Infantry, is cancelled.

LAHORE, 22ND JANUARY, 1858.

ERRATUM.

JHOUDPORE SIKH HORSE.

No. 99.—Punjab Order No. 15 of 2nd January 1858.

For Russaldar Mohur Siugh, read Nair Singh,

APPOINTMENT.

Meer Singh to be Jemadar, in the room of Firman Allie, whose appointment is cancelled.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Genl. Department, No. 160-1, dated 27th Jan., 1858.

Captain R. Robertson, Superintendent of Bhutteeana, for three months, on Medical Certificate, from the date of his departure, to visit Bombay, preparatory to submitting an application to retire from the service.

Genl. Department, No. 175-6, dated 28th Jan., 1858.

Mr. H. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Sealkote, for three months, on Medical Certificate, from the 5th February, or from such date as he may make over charge of his Office; to enable him to proceed to Calcutta or Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe.

P. W. Dept., No. 111-2, dated 28th January, 1858.

Mr. Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Wallace, attached to the Jullunder Division of Public Works, for one month, on Medical Certificate, from the 14th January, 1858, in extension of the leave published at page 1 of the *Punjab Gazette*, dated 2nd January, 1858.

APPOINTMENTS.

General Dept., No. 162-3, dated 27th January, 1858.

Mr. J. H. Oliver, Senior Assistant to the Superintendent of Bhutteeana, to officiate as Superintendent from the date of Captain Robertson's departure on leave.

General Dept., No. 187, dated 29th Jan., 1858.

Assistant Surgeon J. Picthall, to resume medical charge of the Civil Station and Jail of Goordaspore, from the 12th December, 1857.

TRANSFERS.

General Dept., No. 171, dated 28th Jan., 1858.

Extra Assistant Jaishee Ram, from the Kangra to the Jullunder District, as a temporary arrangement.

P. W. Dept., No. 132, dated 30th Jan., 1858.

The services of Mr. C. Moravia, Assistant Engineer of the 1st Class, have been placed at the disposal of the Gov., N. W. P.

DISMISSALS.

General Dept., No. 125, dated 26th Jan., 1858.

Roshun Sing, Thannadar of Deenanuggur, in the Goordaspoor District, dismissed for inefficiency and general bad character, is proscribed from further employment in the Punjab.

General Dept., No. 28, dated 26th Jany., 1858.

Gunga Ram, Putwarree, in the Hoshyarpore District, dismissed for rendering false statement in a case of diluvian Land, is proscribed from further employment in the Punjab.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg Secy.

The following Circular Letter from the Government of India, in the Foreign Department, with its Enclosure, are published for general information :—

CIRCULAR No. 4939.

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF INDIA.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF PUNJAB.

Dated Fort William, the 8th December, 1857.

Foreign Department.

SIR,—In continuation of the Circular Letter from this Department, dated 17th June, 1856, No. 3353, I am directed to transmit, for your information and guidance, the enclosed Copy of a letter from the Under-Secretary in the Home Department, to the address of the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, dated 27th ultimo, No. 1934, relative to an addition to be made in the "Guarantee" required from Civil Servants about to retire from the service.

I have, &c.,
(Sd.) G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Government of India.

Fort William,
The 8th December, 1857.

No. 1934.

From

J. W. DALRYMPLE, Esquire,
Under-Secy. to the Government of India,

To

W. Hart, Esquire,
Secretary to the Government of Bombay.
Dated the 27th November, 1857.

Sir,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 2709, dated the 21st ultimo, referring for determination, the question of the indeterminate nature of the guarantee now required from Civil Servants, about to retire from the service, against whom there may be claims in the public books; and in reply, to state that the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is of opinion that, by the addition of the words "to the extent of Rupees ———," in the form of the guarantee, the difficulty raised would be effectually met.

Home Department.

I have, &c.,
(Sd.) J. W. DALRYMPLE.
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Ordered.—That a copy of this letter be sent for information and guidance, to the Governments of Madras, Bengal, Central and North Western Provinces and the Straits Settlements, in continuation of the communication, dated the 6th June, 1856.

Ordered also,—That a copy be forwarded to the Foreign and Financial Departments, for such further orders as may be necessary in those Departments.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.,*
Offg. Secretary to Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of the Supreme Government, is published for general information:—

No. 186.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, under date the 8th January, 1858.

Read an Endorsement from the Home Department, No. 2630, dated the 16th ultimo, forwarding, for consideration and orders, a letter, No. 1668, dated the 25th November last, from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, with its enclosures, referring for decision, certain points connected with Privilege Leave to Uncovenanted Civil Servants.

Resolution.—With reference to that part of the Financial Notification, dated 27th June last, No. 25, which provides for the *cumulation* of Privilege Leave to Uncovenanted Civil Servants, the Government of Madras submits an enquiry from the Civil Auditor, whether the *cumulation* is to have retrospective effect, so as to admit of the period a party may have been uninterruptedly at his duties *prior* to the promulgation of the Uncovenanted Service Absentee Rules, to reckon as part of the period necessary to qualify him for obtaining cumulative leave, and if so, the date from which such effect is to be given.

Referring to this enquiry, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General is Council is pleased to decide that if Heads of Offices certify that parties applying for accumulated Privilege Leave have served the requisite period uninterruptedly, there is no objection to applying to the Uncovenanted Service the Rule which was passed in respect to the Covenanted Civil Service and approved by the Hon'ble Court, *viz.*, that service before as well as after the introduction of the new Rules is admissible in qualifying a servant for 1, 2 or 3 months' privilege leave.

Order.—Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the Home Department for communication to the Government of Fort St. George.

Ordered further, that a copy of the Resolution be sent to the Departments,* the Governments† and the Officers‡ noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

Ordered also, that a copy of the Resolution be published in the Official *Gazette* for general information.

* Foreign, Military and Public Works.
† Bengal Government.
Bombay Ditto.
Central Provinces.
Straits Settlements.
‡ N. W. P. Chief Commissioner.
Punjaub Ditto.
Civil Auditor, Fort William.

(True Extract.)
(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.
(True Copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secretary to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following Government Notification in the Financial Department, is published for general information:

No. 3.

Fort William, Financial Department,
The 15th January, 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, that the following Extract from a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, in the Financial Department, No. 74 of 1857, dated 28th October, be published in the Official *Gazette* for general information:—

Extract from a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, addressed to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 74 of 1857, dated the 28th Otcober.

Para. 9.—Our Despatch to your Government dated 2d Feb., 1842, No. 4, was designed to guard against the admission of a Civil Servant to receive an Annuity, whilst he continues in Council. The Resolution which you passed on receipt of that Despatch is clearly applicable to Legislative Councillors; but we shall not object to such an alteration being made in the Annuity Fund Regulations, as will allow of the Annuity of a Member of Council commencing from the day on which his term of service as Councillor expires, instead of from the 1st May preceding.

Letter from, dated 24th April 1857, No. 64. Forward copy of an application from Mr. C. Allen, of the Bengal Civil Service, and a Member of the Legislative Council, with reference to the orders of the 1st April, 1842, by which it was resolved that the resignation of the Service for the purpose of accepting an Annuity shall, in the case of Civil Servants holding appointments in Council, provisional or otherwise, be expressed in such form as shall be at the time a resignation of such appointment as well as of the Service generally.

10. We concur in your suggestion that, in cases in which, under the literal bearing of the new Rule, limiting the period of service to thirty-five years, Civil Servants might be required to leave the Service at any time between the 1st

May in one year, and the 1st May in the next, they shall be allowed to retain their appointments until the 1st May following the date on which their period of service may expire.

By order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

(Sd) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.
No. 250.

Copy forwarded to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, for information.

(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.
(True Copy)
(Sd.) EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

The following Despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, is published for general information :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
No. 34 OF 1857.

OUR GOVERNOR GENEAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Letters dated
31st July (No. 41) 1856, p. 5 & 11.
19th Feby. (No. 9) 1857.
30th March (No. 15) 1857, p. 106 & 107.
Agra Narr. for 2nd Quarter of 1856. para 322 at 324.
Bengal " 4 " of 1856. p. 41 and 42.
Proceedings relating to various questions, having reference to the position and allowances of English Civil Engineers and Overseers.

1*st*.—The only part of these Proceedings, which calls for remark, is that relating to the resignation of the service by Mr. Emanuel Allen, one of the Gentlemen sent out by us, in the second class of appointments for employment in the Department of Public Works in Bengal, on salaries of £300 per annum.

2*nd*.—Mr. Allen had received the education and practical training of a Civil Engineer, and had had some experience in the exercise of his profession before he left this country. In consequence of this, he was designated by us "3rd Class Civil Engineer and Overseer," to distinguish him from the Overseers or Superintendents of works, who went out on the same scale of salary. On his arrival at Calcutta, Mr. Allen was appointed Assistant to the Civil Architect, but finding that, being looked on as an Overseer, he would, under the rules laid down by you, for the regulation of the Officers of the Public Works Department, soon after his arrival in India, be classed among the subordinate Establishment, he submitted a remonstrance on the subject, and without soliciting any increase of his salary, requested that he might be ranked as an Assistant Civil Engineer. This request was strongly supported by the Chief Engineer of Bengal, by the Officiating Superintending Engineer of the Division, and by the Civil Architect of Calcutta, who testified to Mr. Allen's professional qualifications in very high terms. Your Government, regarding Mr. Allen's application as a request for promotion, refused compliance, and referred him to the rules laying down the conditions under which promotion was to be obtained. A second application having been decided on by your Government in a similar way, Mr. Allen gave the prescribed notice with a view to his retirement from the service of Government.

3*rd*.—We agree with your Government, that Mr. Allen could not claim to be exempted from the rules laid down by you, regulating the position, and providing for the promotion of the various grades of Officers in the Department of Public Works. It is obviously desirable, however, that all the Officers of the Department should be employed on the highest class of duties for which they may be qualified by their education and previous practice, and we should approve of your Government and of the Governments of Madras and Bombay giving special and favorable consideration to the cases of any Gentlemen, sent out by us for service in the Department of Public Works, who may shew themselves to be entitled to take a higher rank in the Department, than would be necessarily assigned to them in right of the grade in which they proceeded to India.

We are, &c.,
(Signed) R. D. MANGLES and
other Directors.

London,
2nd Sept. 1857.

(True Copy.)
(Sd.) H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.
(True Copy.)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.*,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Government letter in the Home Department, to Secretary to Government of Bengal, is published for general information :—

No. 90.

From

C. BEADON, ESQUIRE,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To

A. R. YOUNG, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Dated the 9th January, 1858.

Home Dept.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 1410, dated the 12th November last, with its enclosure, and in reply to state for the information of the Lieutenant-Governor, that it is not the wish of the Governor-General in Council, that Merchants keeping Presses only for printing commercial Circulars, to be sent to their constituents in England, or elsewhere out of India, should be required to take out a Licence, or that the Magistrates should proceed against the Proprietors of such Presses, unless any documents printed thereat are circulated, or published in India.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) C. BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Council Chamber,
The 9th Jan., 1858.

No. 78.

Copy forwarded to the Governments of Madras, Bombay, Straits Settlements, North Western

Provinces, Central Provinces, and to the Foreign Department, for information.

(Signed) C. BEADON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

(True Copy,)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.,*
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of the Supreme Government, is published for general information :—

No. 4662.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the — November, 1857.

Read the undermentioned papers on the subject of the payment of the salaries of Officers and Establishments whose employment in the Civil Department, has ceased in consequence of the mutinies.

Financial Department Notification, No. 37, dated 28th August, 1857.

Extract from the Proceedings of this Government, in the Foreign Department, No. 3959, dated 23rd September, 1857.

Financial Department Order No. 4108, dated 1st October, 1857.

Letter from the Civil Auditor, Fort William, No. 2070, dated 5th October, 1857.

Extract from the Proceedings of this Government in the Military Department, No. 970, dated 24th October, 1857.

Resolution. On the 28th August last, this Government passed certain Rules in respect of the payment of the salaries of Officers and Establishments, whose employment, in the Civil Department, has ceased in consequence of the mutinies.

In September following, Ram Chunder Pakrasee, Head Clerk, Deputy Commissioner's Office, Zillah Poona in Oude, submitted an application for permission to draw his salary under the abovementioned Rules, from the Treasury at Allahabad, whither he had fled for safety.

In forwarding this application to the Civil Auditor, Fort William, for disposal, this Government enquired what steps were taken by him, previous to audit in such cases, in order to ensure Government against the risk of over payment.

The Civil Auditor stated in reply, "my practice is in auditing the salary Bills of Officers and Establishments, whose employment in the Civil Department has ceased in consequence of the mutiny, to require from Covenanted and Uncovenanted Officers, who receive their appointments direct from Government, a certificate, on honor, stating the date up to which they have drawn their salary, together with a guarantee to refund any amount that may be (when free communication will be restored in the disturbed districts) ascertained to have been overpassed. In the case of ministerial Officers, such as Clerks, Mohurrirs, Overseers of Roads, &c., a statement from a Covenanted Officer certifying as to the identity of the parties, together with a guarantee to the above effect, signed by two respectable persons, is required before passing their salary Bills."

On the 24th ultimo, another application was submitted, from one Bhuggobutty Churn Chatterjee, calling himself a Sirkar of the 10th Regiment Oude Irregular Infantry, which mutinied in June last, and soliciting payment of his salary under the Rules of the 28th August, 1857.

The Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council observes that, though the Oude Irregular Infantry has been treated *in account* as a Civil Corps, the Rules of the 28th August last, were not intended to apply to the Establishments of such Corps. These orders apply (as a Rule) to the incumbents of purely Civil Officers and *their* Establishments, and it is only in certain special cases that they have been applied to Officers holding Staff Appointments in the Military and Public Works Department. The Establishments of Civil Corps may, with propriety, be separately provided for in the Military Department.

With regard to the incumbents of purely Civil Offices and their Establishment, His Lordship in Council is of opinion that, in order to guard against arrears of salaries being paid to parties disaffected towards the Government, it is necessary that the Civil Auditor, in addition to the precautions noticed above, should in every case, in which a native is an applicant (whether such native be of the class contemplated in Rule 2, or in Rule 4, of the Rules of the 28th August, 1857,) require a certificate of good conduct from a Covenanted Officer, to the effect that he can state from his own knowledge, or after a special enquiry, that no suspicion attaches to the applicant of his having in any way been implicated in the rebellion.

Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the (*a*) Departments (*b*) Governments and (*c*) Officers noted in the margin* for information and guidance.

*Order.
(*a*) Military, Foreign, Home, Public Works.
(*b*) Bengal, Madras, Bombay, N. W. Provinces, Central Provinces.
(*c*) Chief Commr. Punjab. Civil Auditor, Fort William.

(True Extract)
(Sd) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

(True Copy.)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.,*
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

The following Letter from Government with its Enclosure, are published for general information :—

No. 4476.

From G. F. EDMONSTONE, Esq.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To Sir J. LAWRENCE, K. C. B.,
Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

Dated Fort William, the 10th Nov., 1857.

Sir,—I am directed to transmit for your information and guidance, the enclosed copy of a letter from the Secretary in the Home Department, to the address of the Director General of the Post Office in In-

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dia, dated 30th ultimo, No. 2221, regarding the opening of Mails.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedt. servant'

(Sd.) G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Government of India.

Fort William,
The 10th Nov., 1857.

No. 2221.

FROM C. BEADON, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
To H. B. RIDDELL, ESQUIRE,
Director General of the Post Office of India.
Dated the 30th Oct., 1857.

SIR,—I am directed to ackowledge the receipt of your letters, noted in the margin, relative to the Circular you have issued, requiring Officers in charge of Post Offices under the orders of the Government of India, dated the 29th July last, to have Mails opened in their presence, and only in the place set aside for the Post Office.

HOME DEPT. *Post Office.* No. 1111, dated 22d Sept. 1857. No. 1183, dated 1st Oct. 1857, and enclosure.

2. By the orders referred to, the Chief, Civil or Military authority at every Station (with certain exceptions) was *authorised* to assume the Office of Post Master, or to assign it to any other Civil or Military Officer at the Station; and it was declared that wherever the Office of Post Master was so assumed or assigned, the Deputy Post Master should obey the orders of the Post Master and perform such duties as might be required of him.

3. Assuming correctly that the object of this order is to ensure the safe delivery of the Mails, and to protect public and private correspondence from being tampered with, you have directed that the packets *shall be opened in the presence of the Officer in charge of the Post Office,* and that they *shall not be opened in any other place than that set aside for the Post Office.*

4. This rule has very naturally been objected to by the local Officers who have taken charge of Post Offices under the General Orders of the Government of India; and the Madras Government has suspended the execution of if. If it is indeed obviously impossible that a high Civil or Military functionary can go several times a day to the Post Office and remain there while the mails are being opened.

5. You state in explanation that the wording of your Circular does not prevent any Officer from setting apart a room either in his house or in his own Office for Post Office purposes, but that it is highly objectionable to open the packets in one place and then to have them removed in a loose state for distribution to another place.

6. In this latter observation the Governor General in Council entirely agrees; but I am directed to observe that it must be in many cases impracticable, and in all cases very inconvenient, to remove the Post Office from its proper place to the private residence of any public Officer or even to a room in his Office, so that your remedy does not meet the difficulty.

7. In point of fact the General Orders of the 29th July have been misapprehended. It was not the intention of His Lordship in Council to require Civil and Military Officers in charge of Post Offices to undertake the entire duty of Post Master and completely to supersede the Deputy Post Masters in the exercise of their functions. The object of the order was rather that there should be at every Station a Covenanted Officer with authority to control the Deputy Post Master and prevent malpractices; and in this view it is quite enough for the temporary Covenanted Post Master to visit the Office frequently, to attend to complaints, and to see that the business is properly conducted. The details, including the opening of the Mails, may be generally left to the Deputy Post Master. A daily report of the receipt and despatch of Mails can if neecssary be made to the Post Master, and such other control maintained in each instance as circumstances may seem to require. The Mails should invariably be opened and the letters prepared for distribution at the Post Office, but this may be done in the presence either of the Post Master or of the Deputy Post Master.

8. It is desirable that you should cancel your Circular Orders of the 12th and 13th August, and substitute another in accordance with the views explained in the foregoing paragraph, and with the instructions conveyed in my letter, No. 1810, dated 8th ultimo.

9. It should be explained at the same time that the object of the General Orders of the 29th July, was not, as supposed by the Acting Judge of Jessore, to give to any Civil or Military Authority the means of ascertaining the nature of the correspondence passing through the Post Office, or of exercising a general espionage over it; and attention should at the same time be drawn to the instructions of the Government of India conveyed in my letter, No. 1423, dated 25th July last, to the Officiating Post Master General of Bengal, in which it is prescribed that Mails and letters are not to be stopped or withheld except on the requisition of the Chief Civil Authority of the place, "whose duty it is to see that there is sufficient reason *in each instance* to render such a step necessary, and that the object is attained with as little disturbance of public convenience and confidence as possible."

10. A copy of this letter will be sent for the information of the several Local Governments and Administrations throughout India.

I have the honor to be,
SIR,
Your most obedt. Servt.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
The 30th October, 1857.

(Sd.) C. BEADON,
Secy to the Govt. of India.

Ordered, that a copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Foreign Department, for the purpose of its being communicated to the several local Administrations under the control of that Department.

(True Copy,)
(Sd.) CHAS MACLEOD,
Registrar, Foreign Dept.
(True copies)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.,*
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

The following Extract from the Honorable Court's Despatch to the Government of India, is published for general information :—

No. 5572.

Extract from a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, addressed to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 70 *of* 1857, *dated the* 6th *October.*

Letter from, dated 13*th March*, 1857, *No.* 35.
Reports the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Financial Department, for the 3rd quarter of 1856.

177 and 178. The Government of Fort Saint George have been informed in reply to an enquiry, that there are no rules for the grant of gratuities to Uncovenanted Servants, who have no claim to pension, but that in cases where gratuities have been granted, they have been calculated on the amount of salary at the period of discharge.

Para. 37. "We shall allow the gratuities, which under the new rules, may, in future, be granted at the discretion of your Government in cases for which the Pension Rules do not provide, to be calculated on the salaries received by Un-covenanted Servants at the date of their discharge, instead of on an average of their salaries for the last five years of their service."

Copy of the above para. forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for information and guidance.

(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William, Finl. Dept,
The 27*th December*, 1857.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.*,
Offg Secy. to Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

The following Government letter in the Public Works Department, is published for general information :—

No. 5986.

FROM CAPTAIN H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Government of Inia,

TO SIR J. LAWRENCE, K. C. B.,
Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

Dated the 15*th December*, 1857.

P. W. Dept., Public.

SIR,—The Hon'ble the Court of Directors having recently prescribed a classification according to subjects of the projects inserted in the Annual Budget of Public Works, I am directed to forward the accompanying Table of Heads as a guide in the arrangement of future Bills.

I have, &c.,
(Sd.) H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William, 15*th Dec.*, 1857.

CLASSIFICATION OF PUBLIC WORKS.

I. STATE.	II. PUBLIC.
A. MILITARY.	H. MUNICIPAL.
1. Fortifications.	1. Town Buildings.
2. Cantonments.	2. Markets.
3. Accommodation for Troops.	3. Paving and streets.
4. Ordnance.	4. Lighting.
5. Commissariat.	5. Water Supply.
6. Stud.	6. Sewage.
7. Staff.	I. MARINE.
B. NAVAL.	1. Harbours and Navigation.
C. JUDICIAL.	2. Light Houses.
1. Police.	J. INDUSTRIAL.
2. Court Houses.	1. Mines.
3. Jails.	2. Manufactures.
D. REVENUE.	K. AGRICULTURAL.
1. Land and Miscellaneous.	1. Irrigation Canals.
2. Customs.	2. Tanks.
3. Opium.	3. Dykes.
4. Salt.	4. Drainage.
E. ECCLESIASTICAL.	5. Forests.
1. Churches and other Buildings.	L. COMMUNICATIONS.
2. Burial Grounds.	1. Metalled Roads.
F. EDUCATIONAL.	2. Unmetalled Roads.
G. GENERAL.	3. Bridges.
1. Government.	4. Boat-Bridges and Ferries.
2. Public Works.	5. Navigable Canals.
3. Post Office.	6. River Improvements.
4. Mint.	7. Staging Bungalows and Serais.
5. Charitable Institutions.	M. RAILWAY.
6. Scientific Institutions.	N. ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.
7. Monuments and Antiquities.	
8. Miscellaneous.	

X. MILITARY COTINGENCIES.
1. Furniture.
2. Conservancy and Service.

(True Copies)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr. Punjab.

NOTICE.

No. 1 OF 1858.

With reference to Government Despatch No. 4796, dated 9th November last, published at pages 20 and 21 of the *Punjab Gazette* of the 23rd current, the Civil Auditor, Punjab, has the honor to request, that all Officers, whose Abstracts of Establishment are subject to audit by this office, will be good enough, at once, to adopt the Leave Return therein prescribed, and submit it with their future Abstracts, *which latter document should be drawn out in detail.* When no leave may have been granted during the month, a blank return should accompany the Abstract.

W. J. RAYNOR,
Civil Auditor, Punjab.

Lahore, 25th Jan., 1858.

No. 254.

Financial Commr.'s Office,
Lahore, 22d Jan., 1858.

MEMORANDUM, CIRCULAR NO. 9.

The following Documents are published, by desire of the Chief Commissioner, for the information and guidance of Commissioners and District Officers, the latter of whom should issue instructions to their subordinates, to report, immediately upon an epidemic amongst the cattle making its appearance; and on receiving such report, should take steps at once, for carrying out the suggestions contained in these documents.

D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commissioner.

Extract paragraph 3 *of a letter No.* 15 *dated* 13*th January,* 1858, *from the Financial Commissioner to the Officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.*

" I take the opportunity, also, of annexing, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter No. 4183, addressed by me on the 24th ultimo, to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej Division, pointing out the expediency of having the carcases of animals, dying from murrain, examined by the medical officer, with a view to the ascertainment of the precise seat of the disease, and suggestion of a remedy. The instructions therein contained, appear to be equally applicable to all Districts, in which murrain may occur, and should the Chief Commissioner consider them appropriate, it may perhaps be deemed advisable, that corresponding instructions be issued to the Medical Department.

(Copies,)
No. 4183.

From

D. F. McLEOD, ESQUIRE,
Financial Commissioner
for the Punjab.

To

MAJOR E. LAKE,
Commr. and Supdt.,
Trans-Sutlej States.

Dahore, 24th December, 1857.

Revenue (Miscellaneous)

SIR,—As the disease, now prevalent among cattle, in some parts of the Pâlam and Kangra valleys, appears to be of a very obstinate character, and productive of great mortality, while the natives appear unable, in so far as I am aware, to attribute it to any particular cause, and assert that it first visited the District but a few years ago, and now returns each year, or never wholly leaves it, I have the honor to suggest, that the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra endeavour to arrange, with the Civil Surgeon, for the dissection and careful examination of the internal organs of the animals that may die from it, in a few of the worst and most decided cases, with a view to ascertaining the precise character of the disease, and devising, if possible, a remedy for it, should none be known to have been heretofore discovered.

I have, &c. &c.,

(Sd.) D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commissioner.

Extract paragraph 2 *of a letter No.* 30, *dated* 21*st January,* 1858, *from the Officiating Secy. to the Chief Commissioner, to the Financial Commissioner.*

2.—" The Chief Commissioner approves of the instructions you have issued to the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, with a view to ascertain the precise nature of the disease so prevalent among cattle in the Kangra District, and he suggests that these instructions should be circulated generally, and published in the *Gazette.*

(True Copy and Extracts,)

H. R. LUDLAM
Superintendent.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

MILITARY.

LAHORE, 23RD JANUARY, 1858.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 100.—Havildar Noor Shah is transferred from the 6th Punjab Police Battalion, with effect, from the date of his being struck off the Rolls of the latter Corps.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 101.—Punjab Order No. 71, of the 19th January, 1858, is cancelled, and Lieut. R. Gibson, H. M.'s 87th Fusiliers, is appointed to do duty with the 22nd Punjab Infantry, *vice* Lieut. Sheffield resigned.

1st PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 102. PROMOTIONS.

Rank and names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Syud Mahomed Khan,......	Subadar,	20th May 1857,	To fill existing vacancies, and for the augmentation.
Mahomed Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Havildars.			
Emam Bux, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	
Nuzzuroodeen Shah,.........	ditto,	ditto,	
Gamah Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Durbarah Sing, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Nizam Jan, ...	ditto,	14th Sept. 1857,	
Peer Bux, ...	ditto,	10th ditto,	
Kurreem, ...	ditto,	14th ditto,	
Dehan Sing, ...	ditto,	14th Decr. 1857,	

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFERS.

No 103 :—

Duffadar Ismail Buksh, from late 14th Irregular Cavalry.
Sowar Emam Khan, ditto ditto.
" Ubbas Allie, ditto ditto.
" Moneer Khan, ditto 2nd Oude Irr. Cavy.
" Ahmed Khan, ditto 13th Irr. Cavy.
" Newaz Khan, from the Punjab Mounted Police, Mooltan Division, to be Duffadar.

JHELUM LEVY.

PROMOTION.

No. 104.—Jemadar Kirpaul Sing, to be Subadar from this date.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 105.—In continuation of P. O. No. 98 of 22nd instant, Assistant Surgeon R. Westcott is appointed to the medical charge of the 22nd Punjab Infantry, and is directed to proceed and join at Jullundur.

LAHORE, 25TH JANUARY, 1858.

17TH AND 22ND REGIMENTS PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 106.—The entertainment of 100 Sepoys, as Supernumeraries, is sanctioned for the above Corps, consequent upon their having been ordered on Field Service.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 107.—One Havildar and 25 Sepoys are ransferred from the Jhelum Levy, with effect from the 1st instant.

12TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 108.—The following Extracts from Regimental Orders, issued by Captain Blagrave Commanding, are confirmed :—

11*th October*, 1857.—Ensign E. Swetenham, with Nos. 4 and 5 Companies, is directed to proceed at once to Huzara, and place himself in communication with the Deputy Commissioner.

Captain Blagrave will take charge of the Adjutant's Office from Ensign Swetenham, and will perform the duties of the same, in addition to his own, until further orders.

20*th Nov.*, 1857.—Ensign E. Swetenham will receive charge of the Adjutant's Office from this date, from Captain Blagrave, and officiate as Adjutant till further orders; the Detachment at Hurreepore, having rejoined the Head Quarters of the Regiment.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 109—Resaidar Abdool Kasim, of the 1st Oude Irregular Cavalry, to do duty as Resaidar, pending a vacancy.

Sowar Mosim Khan, (Bargheer) is transferred from the 1st Oude Irregular Cavalry.

LAHORE, 26TH JANUARY, 1858.

3RD PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 110.—Jemadar Ameer Bux, transferred to the 14thPunjab Infantry, in Punjab Order No. 407 of the 9th November last, having proved inefficient as a Native Officer he is re-transferred to his original Corps.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 111.—That portion of *Punjab Gazette* order No. 38, of the 9th instant, directing the Officer Commanding, to draw, in Monthly Contingent Bills, the amount difference of pay attached to present and former appointment of certain Native Officers, transferred from the Punjab Mounted Police, is cancelled.

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 112.—Promotions.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Ram Sahai, ...	Subadar, ...	30th Dec., 1857.	Shaik Wuzeer Allie, dismissed.
Havildar.			
Jaffer Khan, ...	Jemadar, ...	ditto,	Ram Sahai, promoted.

Lahore, 27th January, 1858.

2nd SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 113.—Lieut. E. H. Macnaughten, 8th Light Cavalry, is appointed to do duty as a Supernumerary.

Lahore, 28th January, 1858.

ANARKULLEE VOLUNTEER COMPANY.

No. 114.—It is required that all arms, accoutrements, &c., issued for the use of the Anarkullee Volunteer Company, be returned forthwith to Mr. Hearne, late Sergeant Major, in view to their being sent into store.

Any parties, wishing to retain Government arms, can forward Indents in duplicate on the Lahore Ordnance Depôt, to the Military Secretary, for the consideration and orders of the Chief Commissioner.

LAHORE AND MOOLTAN TRANSPORT TRAIN.

No. 115.—In continuation of Punjab order No. 572, dated 31st ultimo, the additional establishment of 2 Forges, as per margin*, at the stations of Doboorja and Akbur, is sanctioned for the repair of carts, &c.

* 1 Forge.
1 Mistree.
1 Asst. ditto.

No. 116.—For the future, Present States of the Punjab troops serving in Hindoostan, hitherto furnished to the Military Secretary's office, are dispensed with.

Monthly Returns to be furnished as usual.

2nd SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 117.—The transfer of 45 Recruits from the Jullunder Levy, to the 2nd Seikh Infantry, is directed.

No. 4, OR GARRISON COMPANY ARTILLERY, P. I. F.

Transfers.

No. 118—Havildar Sewah Singh,
Sepoys.
Daswunda Khan,
Boorey Khan,
} From No. 1, Punjab Light Field Batty., with effect from 1st proximo.

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY

Transfers.

No. 119.—Naick Meea Singh,
Sepoys.
Kaka Singh,
Jeemah Khan,
} From No. 4, or Garrison Company Arty., P. I. F., with effect from 1st proximo.

18th PUNJAB INFANTRY.

Appointment.

No. 120.—Subadar Abdoollah Khan, to officiate as Native Adjutant on probation.

5th PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 121. Promotions and Appointments.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Ressaidar.			
Jaffer Ally, ...	Woordie Major, ...	8th January, 1857,	Shaik Emmanoodeen, resigned.
Naib Ressaldar.			
Sahadut Khan, ...	Ressaidar, ...	ditto,	Jaffer Ally, promoted.
Jemadar.			
Shaik Goolam Hoossein, ...	Naib Ressaldar, ..	ditto,	Sahadut Khan, promoted.
Kote Duffadars.			
Khan Jehan Khan, ...	Jemadar, ...	ditto,	Shaik Goolam Hoossein, promoted.
Gunda Singh, ...	Naib Ressaldar, ...		Mutloob Hoossein, discharged.
Ameer Ally Shah,............	Jemadar, ...		Khan Mahomed Khan, discharged.

No. 122.—Doubts having arisen as to the extent of magisterial powers over their men, vested in regimental Commanding Officers by Punjab Order No. 115 of the 14th Sept., 1857, the following rules are published :—

1. Crimes and misdemeanours against the laws of the land, are cognizable only by the Criminal Courts. In such cases, Commanding Officers can exercise no jurisdiction, save it be in foreign territory, or where no Criminal Courts exist.

2. In ordinary cases, they are to exercise magisterial powers, only where the crimes or offences, committed by their men are "Military," that is, where they involve "a breach of order, "or of discipline, or are contrary to the Articles "of War." In all such cases, Commanding Officers of Corps or Detachments are empowered to try, and punish, summarily, all offenders, by fine, corporal punishment, or imprisonment, with or without labor, to the extent of the powers ordinarily vested in a Joint Magistrate.

3. Where offences are deemed to be of too grave a nature, to be thus dealt with, recourse must, as usual, be had to trial by General Court Martial.

4. The proceedings on trials, conducted by Commanding Officers, must invariably be carefully recorded, after the practice of the Criminal Courts. No sentence can be passed, or punishment inflicted, where trials are not thus regularly, and fully recorded, and all such records must be carefully preserved.

LAHORE, 29TH JANUARY, 1858.

APPOINTMENTS.

3RD SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 123.—Lieut. T. P. Harrison, from the 20th regiment, Punjab Infantry, to be officiating Adjutant, *vice* Lieut. R. B. Dundas, placed at the disposal of the Commander-in-Chief by G. O. G. G. No. 1643 of the 24th December, 1857.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

Lieutenant W. F. Edwards, late 45th Regiment N. I., to do duty, *vice* Lieutenant Harrison.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 124.—The Peshawur Division order of the 2nd December, 1857, appointing Ensign H. Collett, late 51st Regiment N. I., to do duty, is confirmed.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Lieut J. Perkins, Assistant Commissioner of Googaira, has obtained privilege leave for 15 days, from the 10th February, 1858, or from the date of his availing himself of the same.

Genl. Dept., No. 218-9, dated 1st Feb., 1858.

Lord William M. Hay, Superintendent of Hill States, Simla, has obtained privilege leave for 10 days, from the date of his availing himself thereof.

Genl. Dept., No. 233 4, dated 4th Feb., 1858.

DISMISSAL.

Mahomed Hussun, Head Moonshee, in the Executive Engineer's Office, Kohat Division of Public Works, dismissed for raising false reports, and attempting to cause mutiny, is proscribed from further employment in the Punjab.

Genl. Dept., No. 239-41, dated 4th Feb., 1858.

POWERS.

Lieutenant A. A. Munro, Assistant Commissioner of Goojrat, is invested with the special powers of an Assistant.

Genl. Dept., No. 229, dated 3rd February, 1858.

EDWARD PASKE,

Offg. Secretary to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

GENERAL.

The necessity, which has hitherto existed for keeping the pay of public establishments two months in arrears, having been partially removed, the Chief Commissioner has much satisfaction in directing that, with exception of the disarmed Troops, all other Establishments, Civil and Military, shall, from the date of the promulgation of this order, receive their Salaries for the month of December last; and that the Pay of Establishments, shall, for the future, be only one month in arrears.

Irregular Cavalry and Police Sowars, now only one month in arrears, will continue so.

New Corps and Levies, not in arrears, will continue to receive their pay regularly.

The disarmed Troops will receive their pay as at present, that is, three months in arrears.

EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.*,

Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr. of the Punjab.

CIRCULAR NO. 7.

To ALL DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS,

in the Punjab and Cis and Trans,-Sutlej States, including Hissar Rohtuck and Bhuttee.

Dated Lahore, 8th December, 1857.

Sir,—The Hon'ble E. Drummond, Accountant General to the Government of India, having, in communication with the Accountant General of the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, ruled, that Officers of those Presidencies, proceeding to Europe on furlough, viâ Calcutta, shall be required to furnish security for the adjustment of any demands against them, in the books of the Madras or Bombay Government, according to a prescribed Form. I have the honor to append hereto, Form of the Security Paper in question, and to request that you will be good enough to make known this arrangement to any Madras or Bombay Officers, who may be serving in your District, in order that, in the event of their requiring Acquittance Certificates, they may provide themselves with a Security Paper in duplicate, agreeably to the Form prescribed,

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) JAS. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, The 8th December, 1857.

FORM.

To THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,

Bombay.

Sir,—A. B. of the ——— regiment, Madras Native Infantry, having obtained leave to proceed to Europe, I (or we*) hereby engage to re-pay to the Governments of Madras and Bombay† the amount of any demands that may be made (in the Civil Department or‡) by the Military Auditor General of those Presidencies, or of outstanding balances against him, for two years, from this date, on account of payments made to him under the above Presidencies.

* As the case may be.

† Calcutta should be substituted, if the Officer is about to proceed viâ Calcutta.

‡ These words should be inserted if in civil employ.

I (or we) have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt. servt.

N. B.—Here enter date and place, where the Security Paper is executed.

Copy forwarded for the information of the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, by his obedient servant,

(Sd.) C. F. A. KELLY,
Offg. Supdt. for Acct., Punjab.

Published for general information.

EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.,*
Offg Secy. to Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

TERRITORIAL DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish, for general information, the following Assay Report of four different descriptions of Gold Coins, specially assayed by the Officiating Assay Master:—

Description.	Average Weight.		Average Touch.		Pure Metal.		Value of 100 in Company's Rupees.	
	Grs.	Decls.	Grs.	Decls.	Grs.	Decls.	Rs.	Decls.
3 Turkish Gold Coins, ...	111	...	91	08	101	098	919	080
5 Russian Imperials, ...	100	40	91	31	91	665	833	319
5 Old Ducats,......................	52	80	97	28	51	363	466	944
5 New Ducats, ...	53	50	97	52	52	173	474	301

Bombay Mint Assay Office, 12*th December,* 1857.

(Errors excepted)
(Signed) W. Collum,
Officiating Assay Master.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

Bombay Castle, 12th *January,* 1858. (Signed) H. YOUNG, *Chief Secretary to Government.*

Re-published for general information.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

CIRCULAR No. 15.

From

D. F. McLEOD, Esquire,
Financial Commissioner for the Punjab,

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS.

Dated Lahore, the 5*th January,* 1858.

Sir,—In continuation of this Office Circular, No. 102, of the 12th October, last, I have the honor to subjoin copies of the Correspondence noted in the margin, by which you will perceive, that the Government of India, have approved of the course directed by the Chief Commissioner to be adopted by Treasury Officers in the Punjab, in cases where subscriptions are tendered towards the Government five per cent. Loan, partly in cash and partly in Government promissory notes of former loans, deposited with the Agents at other stations, and have authorized interest being calculated thereon, from the date on which the cash is paid in.

Revenue.
(Treasury.)

1.—Letter from Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commissioner, to address of Secretary to the Government of India, No. 663, dated 2nd October, 1857.

2.—Reply of the Secretary to Government of India, No. 4892, dated 8th December, 1857

3rd.—Letter from Offg. Secy. to Chief Commissioner to my address, No. 64, dated 27th ultimo.

2.—I request you will direct the Treasury Officers of your Division, to make these instructions generally known, and act on them in all cases to which they may be applicable.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commissioner.

Finl. Commr.'s Office,
Lahore, 5*th Feb.,* 1858.

(Copies,)

No. 711. No. 663.

From

A. BRANDRETH, ESQUIRE,

Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab,

To

G. F. EDMONSTONE, ESQ.,

Secy. to the Govt. of India,

Foreign Department.

Dated Lahore, 2nd October, 1857.

Revenue Department.

SIR,—Many residents in the Punjab, having 4 per cent. paper in their Agent's hands in Calcutta, and elsewhere, being desirous to pay the cash portion of their subscription into the Treasuries in the Punjab, the Chief Commissioner has consented to receive such subscriptions, together with the Agent's Certificate of the 4 per cent. paper. The Treasury Officer has then been directed, either to inform the Officer into whose Treasury the 4 per cent. paper will be paid, of the receipt of the cash portion, and on learning from him that the 4 per cent. paper has been duly received, will grant a promissory note for the new 5 per cent. loan, from the Treasury here, or to grant the payer a bill for the amount, leaving him to forward it to his Agent, to present with the 4 per cent. paper which he wishes to convert, informing the Treasury on which the Bill is drawn, as usual.

2.—By this arrangement, a good deal of cash may be expected to be paid into Punjab Treasuries, which will be highly advantageous ; but to give full effect to the measure, the Chief Commissioner solicits the permission of Government, to make the promissory note of the 5 per cent loan bear interest, from the date the cash was paid in, and to direct the Treasury Officer in Calcutta, or elsewhere, the 4 per cent. paper is paid in, to pay up the broken interest to that date only ; otherwise subscribers will suffer considerable loss, and would prefer to remit the cash through the Bank, or by hoondies (owing to the high rates of discount now granted) to their Agents, and obtain the 5 per cent paper in Calcutta.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) A. BRANDRETH,

Offg. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

No. 4892.

From G. F. EDMONSTONE, ESQUIRE,

Secy. to the Govt. of India,

To SIR J. LAWRENCE, K. C. B.,

Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

Dated Fort William, 8th December, 1857.

Foreign Department.

Sir,—Your Officiating Secretary's Despatch, dated 2nd October last, No. 663, submitting certain proposals for facilitating the payment of subscriptions to the 5 per cent. loan, having been referred to the Financial Department, I have now the honor to acquaint you, that the Governor General in Council has been pleased, in that Department, to approve of your propositions, and desires you to give effect to them.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) G. F. EDMONSTONE,

Fort William, The 8th Dec., 1857. } *Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

No. 64.

From LIEUT. E. H. PASKE,

Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr. for the Punjab,

To D. F. McLEOD, ESQUIRE,

Financial Commissioner, for the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 27th Jan., 1858.

Revenue Dept.

To Secy. to Govt., Foreign Dept., No. 711, dated 2nd Octr. last.

Government's reply No. 4892, dated 8th ultimo.

SIR,—In continuation of my predecessor's letter, No. 710, dated 2nd October ast, I am directed by the Chief Commissioner to forward, for you information, copy of the Correspondnece marginally noted, relative to your proposals for facilitating the payment of subscriptions to the 5 per cent loan, which you will observe, the Supreme Government have sanctioned.

2.—I am also to remark, that this correspondence might appear in the *Punjab Gazette*, should you think it advisable.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.*

Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr.

(True copies)

H. R. LUDLAM, *Superintendent*

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

MILITARY.

LAHORE, 30TH JANUARY, 1858.

No. 125.—The following Circular and Government Resolution are published for General information :—

CIRCULAR No. 6164.

FROM CAPTAIN H. YULE,

Offg. Secy. to the Government of India,

To SIR J. LAWRENCE, K. C. B.,

Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

Dated the 22d December, 1857.

Public Works Department, Military.

Sir,—Under the orders of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, I have the honor to forward the accompanying copy of a Resolution recorded in this Department, on the 10th July last, on the subject of the separation of the duties of Barrack Master from those of Officers of the Public Works Department, from which it will be seen that pending the settlement, in the Military Department, of certain questions connected with the subject, it was resolved by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, that a change of organization should be made within the Public Works Department, whereby the duties of Barrack Master should be entirely separated from those of Executive Engineer, and placed under some Assistant or subordinate in each Division who should be in direct communication with the Superintending Engineer and Central Office of Account, and

who should, in fact, be appointed, without increase of salary, to a separate Executive charge, consisting of Barrack Master's duties. This was to have been done by a division of Establishments without any increase of expense.

2. The large influx of European Troops makes it desirable that the arrangement should not be delayed any longer, and I am therefore to request that it may be carried out at once by the appointment, in every Division in which there are large European Stations, of an Assistant or subordinate of the Public Works Department to the charge of the Barrack Department to whom the Executive Engineer should make over such proportion of his Establishment as may be necessary for the efficient performance of the duties.

3. I am also to request that, in the event of its becoming necessary to increase Engineering Establishments for the purpose of building Barracks, or from any other cause, the increase may be recommended to be made by the appointment of a Barrack Master, and so relieving the Assistant Engineer in charge of the Barrack Department and restoring him to the duties of the Public Works Department proper, whenever this can be done with advantage.

4. It is feared that the original intention to carry out this arrangement, without any additional charge to the State, will now hardly be possible, considering the large amount of Barrack accommodation to be provided conjointly with the increased means that will be required for the custody of furniture and for conservancy, consequent on the great additional number of Troops in quarters. The increased expense, however, will be owing to the augmented force, and not to the division of labor.

5. The necessity for observing the strictest economy is so well known to you that His Lordship in Council is confident that no expense that can possibly be avoided, will be incurred in carrying out the arrangements now ordered, and he does not therefore think it necessary to do more than draw your attention to this point.

6. It is requested that the arrangements made, may be reported for the sanction of the Government of India.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedt. servant,

H. YULE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
The 22nd December, 1857.

No. 3430.

FORT WILLIAM,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC,

THE 10TH JULY, 1857.

EXTRACT.

Read again Letter to the Hon'ble the Court of Directors from this Department No. 1 of 1856, dated 5th January, recommending the appointment of Barrack Masters in the Bengal Presidency, with the view of relieving Executive Engineers of certain duties.

Read again Extract from Military Department, No. 938, dated 27th November 1856, communicating the Hon'ble Court's reply to the above reference, in which the introduction of the proposed measure is deferred.

Read again Letter from President Code Committee, No. 134, dated 19th November 1856, recommending that the provision and custody of Doolies and Kujawas be transferred from the Barrack to the Ordnance Department; that all articles which are carried with Corps on march, be supplied and kept up by the same Department; and that all articles which remain in Barracks when the Troops move, be supplied by the Barrack Department in like manner as Barrack furniture.

Read again Extract from Military Department, No. 847, dated 24th January 1857, objecting to the proposal to transfer the provision and custody of Doolies, Kujawas, &c., to the Ordnance Department.

Read Letter from President Code Committee, No. 135, dated 10th March 1857; with reference to above, points out that the proposal of the Committee has been misapprehended, and brings the matter again under consideration.

Read a further Letter from President Code Committee, No. 136, dated 14th March 1857, re-submitting the question of separating the duties of Barrack Master from those of the Public Works Officers.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Governor General in Council observes that, on a previous occasion, a proposition was made to the Hon'ble Court by the Government of India, on a representation of the President of the Code Committee, that a distinct class of Officers should be created under the designation of Barrack Masters, for the special performance of those miscellaneous duties appertaining to the accommodation of a soldier in Cantonments, which now devolve upon the Executive Engineer under the system at present in force in the Bengal Presidency. The importance of such a change had already been admitted by the Governor General in Council, but as the additional expense which the proposal of the Code Committee would have involved, was considerable, *viz*, about forty thousand Rupees per annum, His Lordship in Council deemed it proper to refer the question for the orders of the Hon'ble Court.

Rupees 40,000.

To this reference the Hon'ble Court have replied under date 8th October 1856. They remark, that they must delay the introduction of the contemplated means of relief until they feel more certain of its necessity. They point to the difficulty of providing proper persons for the performance of duties of the proposed Barrack Masters, and to the great additional expense they would involve; and intimate that, if the appointment of Barrack Masters was sanctioned thirty years ago, as was alleged by the Code Committee, and still had never yet been carried out in practice, there could be no very good reason for creating such an Office now.

The Code Committee having once more considered the matter, now make a fresh appeal in favor of the separation of the duties of Barrack Master, from those of the Public Works Officers; they point out how some of the objections raised by the Hon'ble Court might be met,

and they offer explanations on certian points which they think had not been quite rightly understood.

It is suggested that a change of system might be made gradually; that a certain part of the existing Establishments of the Department of Public Works might at once be set aside to perform the Barrack duties; that as opportunities occurred, persons having those qualifications only which the performance of such duties would demand, might be appointed to replace the more highly educated and, therefore, more highly paid Officers of the Department of Public Works who would at first be charged with the functions of Barrack Master.

Rupees 1,000.

In this manner, the Committee calculate that the transfer of the Barrack duties might at once be made, without affecting the working strength of Public Works Department, at an additional charge of about one thousand Rupees a month, which sum would be required for extra subordinate Establishment, if a complete and immediate separation were to take place between the Barrack duties and those which properly belong to the Public Works Department.

The difficulty of providing the necessary Officers having been thus met and the proposed charge so greatly diminished, the Committee express a hope that the Government of India may be able to carry out the projected plan without any further delay.

Rupees 40,000.

They add, that the additional charge first proposed of forty thousand Rupees, a year, would not have been a barren outlay; that the Engineer, when relieved from these anomalous duties, would be able to devote himself more completely to his more important professional work and that the sphere of his utility could be extended; or that an actual reduction of the Public Works Establishments might be effected without impairing their real efficiency, corresponding to the additional charge incurred for the Barrack Department.

With reference to the old order regarding Barrack Masters which lay so long without being acted upon, it is pointed out that, in former times, the Executive Engineer was virtually nothing but a Barrack Master; that the introduction of Engineering work, properly so called, has been gradual; and that it was not to have been expected that the incompatibility of the functions united in the Executive Engineer, should at first have been very striking or very inconvenient, though, on the entirely new condition of things which has at length been fully established, the evils are most marked and all for immediate remedy.

The Governor General in Council, fully concurring in the general views of the Code Committee as to the expediency of relieving the Officers of the Public Works Department from the duties of the Barrack Master, is not however, at present prepared to accede to any proposal for effecting the object which shall involve any extra charge to the State. The Hon'ble Court's orders in themselves would be a sfficient bar to such a course; but besides this, His Lordship in Council does not see why the desired object could not be attained in the manner shown by the Committee, without any increase of charge whatever, and yet without any real diminution of the effective utility of the Department of Public Works. What is proposed is merely a division of labor. No more work will have to be done in future than is done now. Why then should any more men, high or low, be employed?

It is true that, in individual instances, where both Engineering and Barrack duties are now performed by one individual, a precise separation of the Establishments will not be possible. But it will be apparent, on the other hand, that if the Public Works Department is, on the whole, relieved of a certain portion of its duties, while a corresponding reduction of Establishments is not made simultaneously, there is in reality an augmentation made to the strength of those Establishments.

The Governor General in Council further observes, that there are clearly other measures of relief in respect to these matters which are also well worthy of attention. The alteration first proposed by the Code Committee, was to the effect that the Barrack duties should be performed by Barrack Masters who should be placed under the Chief Engineers, just as Executive Engineers now are. But the duties in question are, in truth, just as incompatible with the proper work of the Chief Engineer as with that of the Executive Engineer. They are duties subsidiary to the daily existence of the Troops and are essentially Military in their relations.

The consideration of the proper way of ultimately regulating the performance of these duties, need not, however, interfere with the introduction of certain modifications of practice which appear to be in themselves manifestly reasonable and susceptable of being carried into effect immediately; neither need this larger question prevent the preliminary separation of the Barrack duties from those of the Public Works proper, in the manner already suggested.

The Governor General in Council has been convinced, by the discussion that has arisen on this subject, that there are certain portions of the duties now performed by Executive Engineers which are so clearly incompatible with the proper functions of those Officers, and at the same time so evidently fall within the sphere of other existing Departments, that they should at once be transferred from the former to the latter.

The first of these is the supply of sundry articles to Troops in Quarters, such as oil for lights, water jars, earthen pots, for use in privies, &c., and all other miscellaneous objects of like character. These things, the Governor General in Council observes, are now supplied by the Engineer only to Troops in Quarters; to Troops in the Field they are furnished by the Commissariat; and the Commissariat, His Lordship remarks, is evidently the Department by which all such supplies should be furnished on all occasions.

Next, it is observed, that the Public Works Department now supply, repair, and take charge of all Doolies and Kujawahs. These things are manifestly part of the Camp Equipment of a Military Force, and there seems to be no reason either assigned or assignable, why they should not be dealt with exactly in the same manner as all other Camp Equipages. With the Public Work

Department they have no possible connexion, and they may naturally and properly be transferred to the Ordnance Department which now has charge of all other elements of Camp Equipage.

His Lordship in Council observes, that the proposals of the Code Committee on the subject of the transfer of the custody of Doolies from the Public Works to the Ordnance Department, having been considerred by the Government in the Militray Department, were then set aside on the representations of the Inspector General of Ordnance. But the Governor General in Council is now satisfied that the proposed plan was then misunderstood. It is not intended to deal with the Doolies otherwise than with the rest of the Camp Equipage of the Army. No new Establishment or new Arsenal accommodation will be required, because the proposed charge will neither call for the preparation of new Doolies nor require the deposit of the existing Doolies in new buildings, nor demand additional persons for their safe custody. There will be little more than a nominal change of the Department in whose charge they are placed, and the additional labor thrown upon the Ordnance Department will be very trifling. It will consist almost entirely of checking the returns and accounts of expenditure for repairs which will henceforth be submitted by the Regimental Authorities to the Ordnance Department, as in the case of Tents, &c.

There is another class of the Barrack duties of the Executive Engineer which His Lordship in Council conceives might, with advantage, be transferred immediately to the Quarter Masters of Regiments. These points, however, it will be right to reserve for further consideration in the Military Department.

The duties alluded to are as follow :—

1. Punkah-pulling.
2. Tattie-watering.
3. Regimental Conservancy.

The duty of the Executive Engineer in regard to these matters at present, is merely that of a disbursing Agent. The Establishments for the whole of these purposes are entirely under the orders of the Regimental Authorities, and the actual payment of the men is also in their hands. The Pay Abstract is prepared by the Regimental Officers and cashed by the Executive Engineer. The expenditure passes through the Engineer's accounts, and this is the only thing he has to do with it. He is in no way responsible that the duties are performed, nor is it his business to enquire. If the charge is not beyond the regulated amounts and the authorized number of men does not seem to have been exceeded, the money is paid.

There seems, at first sight, no sufficient reason why these charges should not be dealt with directly in the Quarter Masters' Monthly Abstracts, and the sums disbursed with the pay of the Troops and the regular Military Establishments, under the check of the audit of the Military Auditor General. To transfer these charges for payment to the Executive Engineer, and for check and audit to the Chief Engineer, would appear to be adding most unnecessarily to the difficulties and complexities of the Public Works Accounts, and to the putting a load of petty but harassing details on the Executive Engineer with no corresponding advantage whatever.

The Governor General in Council further remarks that, after the separation of the duties that have been already specified, there would still remain a considerable amount of work which it would probably still be expedient to retain in the hands of a special Barrack Master.

These duties are as follow :—

Construction, supply, or repair of Furniture, Boxes, &c.

Custody of all Barrack Stores or Furniture while Troops are absent from Barracks, as during the progress of a Relief.

Construction of Tatties.

Petty repairs of all sorts.

Station Conservancy, not including Road-making or Drainage operations of an Engineering character, which would fall to the Public Works Officers.

Custody of Fire Engines, and all arrangements connected with them.

Chowkeedars to vacant buildings.

Settlement of Barrack damages.

Distribution of Quarters under the local Staff Officer.

The accounts of the Barrack Masters with those of the Regimental Quarter Masters, might be first checked by the Deputy Quarter Master General of the Division and finally audited by the Military Auditor General, or perhaps by the Auditor of Commissariat Accounts. The disbursements might easily be managed in connexion either with the District Pay Master or the Commissariat Chest.

As before observed, these duties will, for the present, continue to be carried on under the Department of Public Works, but an effort should at once be made to set apart a portion of the Establishments of each Executive Division for the specific performance of the Barrack duties, and, if necessary, to re-arrange the distribution of the subordinate Officers of the Department so as to provide Barrack Masters where such Officers are required. Such a step would be the most convenient and practical preliminary for bringing about the entire separation of the Barrack duties from the Department of Public Works, should that course be finally adopted ; and otherwise it will be a desirable alteration, inasmuch as it will altogether transfer those petty and harassing details which may as well be disposed of by Officers of an inferior grade from the hands of the principal Engineers who will thus have increased facilities for devoting themselves to Engineering works in the Districts in which they are placed.

Resolution.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council therefore resolves that, in communication with the Military Department, steps shall immediately be taken for transferring to the Commissariat the duty of providing for Troops in Quarters all articles of a miscellaneous nature, such as oil for lights, earthen jars, lime for privies, &c., which now devolve upon the Public Works Officers.

Also, for transferring, in like manner, to the Ordnance, the supply and control of the Doolies, Kujawahs, and all similar articles which form an essential part of the marching equipment of Troops in the Field.

Also, that the propriety of effecting an immediate transfer to the Regimental Authorities of the entire control and payment of the Establishments for pulling Punkahs, for watering Tatties and for Regimental Conservancy, be re-considered in the Military Department.

Further, that arrangements shall be made in the Public Works Department for setting apart a certain proportion of the existing Public Works Establishments for the special performance of the duties of the Barrack Master.

And, finally that, pending the completion of these last-named arrangements the general subject of the transfer of the control of the Barrack Master's Establishments and duties from the Public Works to the Military Department, be re-considered in the latter Department with a view to the determination of the question, whether these duties are not entirely Military in their relations, and whether they might not, with advantage to their efficient discharge, and with great relief to the Public Works Department, be placed under the direction of the Quarter Master General of the Army or some other branch of the Military Staff.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to the Military Department with a request that measures may be taken for the issue of the necessary orders for the transfer of the duties above specified, to the Commissariat and Ordnance Departments respectively, and that the subjects referred for consideration, may be duly dealt with.

(True Extract)

W. E. BAKER, *Colonel*,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 126.—The following letter is published for general information :—

No. 107.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

North Western Provinces.

Sir,—With reference to your letter, No. 470, *Military Dept.* dated 14th November, 1857, submitting an enquiry regarding the period, up to which the allowances to Officers, commanding Companies of Native Regiments and regimental Staff, are admissible, I am directed to inform you that, in all Corps which have mutinied, command and Staff Allowances will be passed up to the date of the mutiny only.

Para. 2 of letter No. 383, dated 10th July, 1857, to the Officiating Military Auditor General.

I am, &c.,

(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Lt. Col.*,

Secy. to the Govt. of India, in the Mily. Dept.

Council Chamber, Fort William, 3rd Dec., 1858.

No. 108.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for information.

By order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Lt. Col.*,

Secy. to the Government of India, in the Mily. Dept.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 127.—George Solomon to be Jemadar.

4TH SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 128.—Jemadar Thakoor Singh, having failed to rejoin at the expiration of his furlough, his name will be struck off the rolls of the regiment, from the date of his going on leave.

LAHORE, 1ST FEBRUARY, 1858.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 129.—Lieut. W. J. S. Richardes, 6th Light Cavalry, is appointed to do duty as a Supernumerary.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 130.—Appointments to complete the Augmentation Squadron :—

Wullee Ahmud, to be Ressaldar from 1st January, 1858.
Uslam Khan, do. Ressaidar, do.
Kooshal Khan, do. Naib Ressaldar, do.
Ajjub Singh, do. do. do.
Gholam Khan, do. Jemadar, do.

4TH SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 131.—Lieut. F. H. Jenkins is permitted, at his own request, to resign the appointment of Officiating Adjutant, from the 14th instant.

The regimental order of the 15th January, 1858, appointing Lieut. G. B. Stainforth, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant, in the room of Lieut. Jenkins resigned, is confirmed.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 132.—Lieut. F. C. Gostling, 5th Light Cavalry, is appointed to do duty as a Supernumerary.

2ND OR HILL REGIMENT SIKH INFANTRY.

NO. 133.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Baidoolla, ...	Subadar, ...	19th Oct., 1857,	Subadar Sheibdut, dismissed.
Jubriah, ...	ditto,	8th Decr., 1857,	Ditto Sewnath Singh, dismissed.
Havildars.			
Mattadeen,............	Jemadar, ...	19th Oct., 1857,	Jemadar Baidoolla, promoted.
Bheemraj, ...	ditto,	8th Dec., 1857,	Jemadar Jubriah promoted.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 134.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Goottah, ...	Subadar,	1st Jan., 1858,	To complete the Establishment.
Gool Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Havildars.			
Nairrian Singh,...............	Jemadar,	ditto,	
Zearut Khan,..................	ditto,	ditto,	
Sham Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Kesserah Singh,...............	ditto,	ditto,	

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 135.—TRANSFERS.

Rank, Name, and present Corps.	In what rank to be transferred.	From what date.
23rd Punjab Infantry.		
Jemadar Futteh Sing, ...	As Naib Ressaldar,	29th Decr., 1857.
Havildar Dya Sing,..	As Duffadar,	
Sepoy Jowahir Sing, ...	As Sowar,	
Sepoy Soor Sing, ...	Ditto,	
Sepoy Mungul Sing, ...	Ditto,	
9th Ressala Punjab Mounted Police.		
Duffadar Bhawul Buksh, ...	As Jemadar,	27th Decr., 1857.
Sowar Noor Khan, ...	As Sowar,	30th ditto.
Sowar Inayut Allie,	As Duffadar,	26th ditto.

LAHORE, 2ND FEBRUARY, 1858.

15TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 136.—Punjab Order, No. 69, of the 18th ultimo, transferring Assistant Surgeon J. Wilson, from the 21st Punjab Infantry, is cancelled.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 137.—Lieutenant B. N. Smith, 46th Native Infantry, is appointed to do duty as a Supernumerary.

LAHORE, 3RD FEBRUARY, 1858.

1ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 138.—The Moveable Column order of the 22nd October, 1857, by Brigadier St. G. G. D. Showers, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant C. Grant, from the 2nd Bengal European Fusiliers, to do duty, is sanctioned.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 139.—Sepoy Noer Singh, from the Depôt, 2nd Regiment Punjab Infantry, with effect from the 1st instant.

LAHORE, 4TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 140.—The Regimental Order of the 28th January, 1858, by Captain Hockin, Commanding, assuming charge of the Adjutant's Office, from that date, is sanctioned.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 141.—The Regimental Order of the 2nd January, 1858, by Lieutenant J. V. Hunt, 2nd in Command, assuming command of the Regiment, from that date, Captain J. C. Bloomfield, Commandant, having remained at Kanound, on the march of the Regiment from that place, in anticipation of leave of absence on medical certificate, is sanctioned.

LAHORE DEPOT.

2ND AND 4TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 142.—The following Establishment is sanctioned :—

4 Langrees.
1 Bhistee.
1 Sweeper.

GUIDE CORPS.

TRANSFERS.

No. 143.—Naick Unmool Singh, and Sepoy Gunga Singh } From the 4th Regt. N. Infantry.

2nd SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 144.—Promotions and Appointments.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Ressaidar.			
Buchuttur Singh, ...	Woordie Major,	1st Jan. 1858,	To complete the Establishment.
Hurree Singh, ...	Ressaidar,	6th ditto,	Buchuttur Singh, promoted.
Duffadar.			
Kahn Singh,..................	Naib Ressaldar,	1st ditto,	To complete the Establishment

No. 145.—The following letters are published for general information :—

No. 498.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

in the Punjab.

Military Department. Sir,—In reply to your Military Secretary's letter, No. 418, of the 28th of August last, I am directed to acquaint you, that the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, is pleased to approve of the whole of your proposals, regarding the organization of the Regiments of Punjab Infantry.

2.—Accordingly, each Regiment will be formed into ten Companies, each consisting of one Subadar, one Jemadar, six Havildars, six Naicks, two Drummers and Eighty Sepoys.

3.—The pay of the Jemadars of Artillery and Infantry of the Punjab Irregular Force, and of the Regiments of Sikh Infantry and Huzara Mountain Train, will be (Rs. 30), Rupees 30 per mensem, viz. (22-8) Rupees twenty-two and eight annas, as pay, and (Rs. 7-8), Rupees seven and eight annas as Batta.

4.—His Lordship in Council approves of your having directed the re-organization of the Regiments to be carried out in anticipation of sanction, with respect, both to the old and the new Corps of Punjab Infantry.

I am, &c.,

(Signed) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Council Chamber,
Fort William,
The 12th October, 1857.

No. 693.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

Punjab.

Sir,—With reference to your Military Secretary's letter, No. 516, of the 2nd December, 1857, Mily. Department. I am directed to acquaint you. that the new organization of the Punjab regiments, and the increased rates of Pay for the Jemadars, was intended to apply, to the new as well as the old Corps.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Col.,*
Secy. to the Government of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Council Chamber,
Fort William,
The 16th Jan., 1858.

11th PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 146.—Jemadars Lutchmee Narian and Futteh Khan, having failed to rejoin on the expiration of their furlough, are dismissed the service, and their names will be struck off the rolls of the regiment, from the dates on which they respectively proceeded on leave.

Lahore, 5th February, 1858.

SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 147.—With reference to Punjab order, No. 425, of the 16th Novr., 1857, Mr. A. W. Wallace, having passed a successful examination at Meean Meer, is re-admitted to the service as an apothecary.

Erratum.

5th PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

Promotion.

No. 148.—For Jemadar Jowahur Singh, read Jemadar Jewun Singh.

5th PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 149.—Ensign S. J. Browne, from the 2nd Punjab Irregular Cavalry, is appointed to do duty and directed to join forthwith.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

THE Punjab Gazette.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept., No. 285-6, dated 10th February, 1858.

Mr. Sub-Assistant Surgeon P. A. Minas, in Medical Charge of Rohtuck, has obtained privilege leave for one and a half months, from the 15th February, 1858, or from the date of his departure.

General Dept., No. 291, dated 11th February, 1858.

Captain H. J. Piercy, Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Meean Meer, for two months, on Medical Certificate, from the 10th February, 1858, to enable him to proceed to Kurrachee and Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe under the old Rules.

TRANSFERS.

General Dept., No. 139-40, dated 26th January, 1858.

Mr. T. D. Forsyth, Deputy Commissioner of Umballa, is placed at the disposal of the Government, North Western Provinces.

Mr. F. C. Macnaghten resumed his duties as Assistant Commissioner in the Umritsur district on the 12th October, 1857, the date from which he vacated the appointment of Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division.

APPOINTMENTS.

General Dept., No. 242-4, dated 5th February, 1858.

The order published in the Punjab Gazette, of the 17th October, 1857, directing Lieut.-Colonel J. Clarke, to resume charge of the Goojranwalla district from Captain Cripps, with effect from the 7th October, 1857, the date on which he reported his arrival at Mooltan, is hereby cancelled, and that Officer is held to have resumed charge of the Goojranwalla district, from the date on which he relieved Captain Cripps.

General Department, No. 294, dated 11th February, 1858.

Lieutenant A. Stewart, Officiating Interpreter and Quarter Master, 16th Regiment N. I., to Officiate as Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Meean Meer, as a temporary arrangement from the date of Captain Piercy's departure, pending the sanction of Government.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Government Letter, in the Public Works Department, is published for general information :—

No. 460.

FROM CAPTAIN H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,

To SIR J. LAWRENCE, G. C. B.,
Chief Commissioner in the Punjab.
Dated the 28th Jany., 1858.

P. W. Department. Military.

Sir,—I am directed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, to request that you will have the goodness carefully, and without loss of time, to impress upon the Officers of the Department, that the Act,* which was passed last Saturday, the 23rd instant, to legitimate the impressment of labour, is not to be resorted to except in real extremity.

* To authorize the impressment of Artizans and Laborers for the erection of buildings for the European Troops in India, and for works urgently required for Military purposes.

2. The Government would much rather see the workmen attracted to their employment on this emergency by fair inducement of increased wages, and great care in punctual payment.

3. If the powers of the Act be restored to frequently, on trifling grounds, and before a fair trial has been made of other means, it is highly probable that its results will be detrimental to the progress of the works and to the objects of its enactment, by spreading popular alarm and dislike to the Government employ. And even when the powers of the Act are unavoidably brought into action, greater care, if any thing, should be taken, that the payment of wages be liberal and punctual.

4. Where qualified Overseers are deficient, it may still be possible in this emergency to obtain the services of Europeans or East Indians to remain constantly on the works, and to see that the

people do not idle. The free employ ment of such persons, when found to be useful, should be encouraged.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Sd.) H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
The 28th Jan., 1858.

(True-Copy,)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

No. 411.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 22nd January, 1858.

Read again the following papers :—

Extract, Public Works Department, No. 1443, dated 27th March, 1857, with its enclosure.

Read an Office Memo. No. 6196, dated the 30th ultimo, from the Public Works Department, with its enclosure, relative to the salary to be passed to an Uncovenanted Servant, from the date of his return from Furlough up to the date of joining his appointment.

RESOLUTION.—On the 21st August, 1856, Mr. T. Login, Executive Officer, Bassein River, obtained, under Section VII.,* Clause 3, of the Uncovenanted Service Absentee Rules, leave of absence to Europe for a period of six months. He was subsequently allowed by the Hon'ble Court, as a special case, nine months' leave of absence without pay, in addition to the six months already taken, thereby extending to fifteen months, the whole period of his authorized absence from India; and which period, the Hon'ble Court directed, was to be regarded as if authorized under Section VIII.† of the above Rules.

* Now altered to Section VIII.

† Now altered to Section IX.

Mr. Login having returned from England on the 31st October last, the Officiating Chief Engineer, Lower Provinces, solicits orders regarding the salary to be passed to him from that date up to the 28th November last, the date of his arrival at Purneah, the Head Quarters of the Division, (Darjeeling Road), to which he is now attached.

The Officiating Secretary in the Public Works Department, suggests the expediency of laying down general Rules, (if such Rules do not already exist), to meet the cases of Uncovenanted Officers, who, like Mr. Login, may not join appointments immediately on return from Furlough.

Referring to this suggestion, His Lordship in Council remarks that leave may be granted to Uncovenanted Servants preparatory to Furlough on private affairs, or for return to Station after the expiration of Furlough, only on the terms of Section VIII.‡ of the Uncovenanted Civil Service Absentee Rules, for the period specified in the Financial Notification of 14th October, 1857, *viz.*, four, six, or eight weeks, according as the distance to be travelled shall not exceed 300 or 600 miles, without forfeiture of appointment, but without pay; the period of absence not counting as service towards pension.

‡ Now altered to Section IX.

If the furlough, however, be enjoyed in India, no preparatory leave is to be granted; the Furlough being reckoned from the date of the absentee's quitting his post to the date of his return thereto.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be sent to the Public Works Department, with a request that Mr. Login's case be treated under the Rule above laid down.

Ordered also, that a copy of the Resolution be sent to the Departments,* the Governments,† and the Officers‡ noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

* Foreign, Home, and Military Departments.
† Bengal Government.
Madras ditto.
Bombay ditto.
Central Provinces ditto.
Straits' Settlements ditto.
‡ Chief Commissioner, N. W. Provinces.
Ditto Punjab.
Civil Auditor, Fort William.

Ordered further, that a copy be published in the Official *Gazette* for general information.

(True Extract.)
(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Published for general information.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr.
for the Punjab.

NOTICE.

Frequent instances of evading payment of Tolls on the Hindostan and Thibet Road, having been reported to the Chief Commissioner, he is pleased to direct the publication of the following Schedule of Tolls, which have been authorized by the Supreme Government, to be levied at the Toll Bars on the Hindostan and Thibet Road; and he requests that parties will not in future attempt to evade payment. Any instances of evasion which may hereafter be reported to the Chief Commissioner will be severely noticed :—

Schedule.

		Rs.	A.	P.
On every	Cart and Hackery, ...	0	8	0
,,	Buffalo, Yak, and Jooboo,	0	0	6
,,	Bullock, ...	0	0	3
,,	Saddle Horse or Pony, ..	0	1	0
,,	Pack or baggage, ditto, ..	0	0	3
,,	Mule, ...	0	0	9
,,	Camel, ...	0	4	0
On Palkees and Tonjons, per bearer,	.. .. ..	0	1	0
,,	Sheep, per head,..	0	0	1
On every Ass,	.. ..	0	0	2

Parties running passenger vehicles shall take out a licence, according to the description of carriages, at not less than 10 Rupees per mensem for each vehicle.

Private carriages, whether drawn by animals or men, shall be charged Toll, at the rate of one anna per mile.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secretary to the Chief Commr.,
Punjab.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

MILITARY.

LAHORE, 6TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

No. 3 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 150.—Lieutenant and Brevet Captain R. Mecham, from the 20th February, till the 20th May, 1858, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe, on Medical certificate under the new Regulations.

HOOSHEARPORE LEVY.

No. 151.—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Lieut. F. D. Hawkins, 61st Native Infantry, is appointed to do duty.

LAHORE, 8TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 152.—Sowar Ditta Khan, from the Ressalah of Khan Bahadoor Khan, to be Jemadar.

2ND SEIKH INFANTRY.

No. 153.—Punjab Order, No. 117, of the 28th ultimo, directing the transfer of 45 Recruits from the Jullundur Levy, is cancelled.

ERRATUM.

No. 154.—Punjab order, No. 486, dated 5th December, 1857, for Lieut. C. Shaw, 59th Native Infantry *read* 57th Native Infantry.

LAHORE PUNJAB INFANTRY DEPOT.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 155.—Lieut. A. Tulloch, late 20th Native Infantry, will receive charge from Lieut. C. Shaw, transferred to another appointment.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 156.—The undermentioned Native Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men, whose transfer from the 4th Regiment Seikh Infantry, to the 14th and 16th Regiments Punjab Infantry, was notified in Punjab orders, No. 497 and 498, dated 9th December, 1857, and No. 3 and 4 of the 4th January, 1858, are transferred instead to the 21st Regiment Punjab Infantry, and those orders are cancelled accordingly.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of promotion.	Remarks.
Jemadars.			
Narain Singh, ...	Subadar,	1st Nov. 1857,	From the 4th Regiment Sikh Infantry.
Mahomed Kahn, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Wuzeer Singh,...............	ditto,	ditto,	
Havildars.			
Noor Khan, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	
Jodh Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Kurrum Singh,...............	ditto,	ditto,	
Naicks.			
Boota Khan, ...	Havildar,	ditto,	
Soudagur Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Surdara Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Jeeta Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Boodh Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Tuhul Singh,..................	ditto,	ditto,	
Sahib Singh,..................	ditto,	ditto,	
Beer Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Bhugel Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Bissoon Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Jodh Singh,..................	ditto,	ditto,	
Jye Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Goolab Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Dull Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Dial Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Sepoys.			
Chunda Singh,...............	Naik,	ditto,	
Chundun Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Boota Singh,..................	ditto,	ditto,	
Goormookh Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Nowad Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Lall Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Goordut Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Bhoop Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Jye Singh,....................	ditto,	ditto,	
Beharee Singh,...............	ditto,	ditto,	
Sham Singh,..................	ditto,	ditto,	
Khurka,........................	ditto,	ditto,	
Ameer Alee, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Jelal Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Jhuggur Singh,...............	ditto,	ditto,	

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 157.—Sepoy Mahomed, from the 8th Punjab Infantry, *vice* Mer Sing.

8TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

Sepoy Mer Sing, from the 5th Punjab Infantry, *vice* Mahomed.

PUNJAB IRREGULAR FORCE.

No. 158.—As the uniform which has been made up by Commanding officers, for the several newly raised Regiments of Punjab Infantry, is of different material, and in many instances, of a different pattern from that in use with the old Regiments of the Punjab Irregular Force, and it is desirable to have but one description of uniform in each Regiment, it is directed that all transfers from the old to the new corps shall leave their clothing in wear behind them, and that they be provided for in their new Regiments as if they were newly raised soldiers.

No. 159.—Deputy Pay Masters are authorized to pay up arrears of Pay, &c., due to Officers proceeding to Europe on sick certificate.

LAHORE, 9TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 160.—Resaldar Sundil Khan, (late 1st Oude Irregular Cavalry), to be Resaldar.

1ST PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 161.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Neamut Khan, ...	Subadar,	1st Oct., 1857,	Subadar Shadely Khan, promoted.
Havildars.			
Myhtabah, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	Jemadar Neamut Khan, promoted.
Sameerah, ...	ditto,	1st Nov., 1857,	Jemadar Meea Khan, transferred.

No. 162.—The attention of all Officers Commanding corps in the Punjab Force is called to the following paragraph of Regulation XV. of 1816, determinating that all Native Officers and soldiers, having suits in Civil Courts, they themselves not being able to attend, shall have executed a power of attorney, indicating the Relation or Agent, who is to conduct their case.

Native Officers and Soldiers may authorize any person to institute and conduct suits in which they may be a party.

First.—Whenever a Native Officer or soldier on the Military Establishment of the Presidency of Fort William, may be desirous of instituting a regular or summary suit, in any of the local court of Civil Judicature, and shall not be able to attain a furlough or leave of absence, for the purpose of Superintending or conducting such suit in person, he shall be at liberty to execute a Mokhtarnamah or power of attorney, drawn up according to the Form No. 1, in the Appendix to this Regulation, authorizing and appointing any member of his family or other person to institute, and carry on the suits, and to perform all acts in the original trial of the cause, and eventually in appeal, in the same manner as if the party were himself personally present, and onsenting.

The Mokhtarnamah need not be written on stamped paper.

Second.—Such Mokhtarnamah shall not be required to be written on stamped paper, but shall be executed by the Native Officer or Soldier in the presence of the Commanding Officer of the Corps, or detachment to which he may belong, who shall countersign the same, in testimony, of its having been voluntarily executed.

The above document is to be transmitted to the register of the Court by the Commanding Officer.

Third.—The Moktarnamah so executed is to be transmitted by the Commanding Officer, under cover of a public letter, drawn up in the form No. 2, of the appendix, addressed to the register of the Court, in which the suit is to be instituted ; and upon the receipt of such letter, a notice shall be issued by the Court, for the purpose of procuring the attendance either personally or by a Constituted Vakeel, of the person nominated in the Moktarnamah.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT,

NOTICE.

No. 163.—Officers who are required by the Regulations* of the service to submit half-yearly Returns of Ordnance Stores to the Military Auditor General, Ordnance Department, are reminded that delay in their transmission retards the Public Accounts ; particular attention is therefore called to the early despatch of these documents, and of the following Returns which are long over due :—

* Mily. Code, Pages 11 & 12, Paras 34 to 41.

Half-Yearly Return, dated 1st November, 1856.

FROM 1ST COMPANY PUNJAB SAPPERS.

Half-Yearly Returns, dated 1st May, 1857.

4th Regiment Sikh Infantry.
No. 2 Punjab Light Field Battery.
2nd Regiment Punjab Cavalry.
3rd ditto ditto ditto.
1st ditto ditto Infantry.
2nd ditto ditto ditto.
4th ditto ditto ditto.
2nd Punjab Police Battalion.
4th ditto ditto ditto.
7th ditto ditto ditto.
1st Company Punjab Sappers.

3rd SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 164.—Transfers.

Rank, Name, and present Corps.	In what rank to be transferred.	From what date.
15th Irregular Cavalry.		
Resaldar Azeemoodeen Khan, ...	In their present rank.	
Lance Duffadar Drab Khan,...		
Sowar Iradut Khan, ...		
,, Ali Mahomed Khan....		
,, Shaik Mahomed Sadiq, ...		
,, Sowar Ameer Chund,...		
,, Kureem Buksh Khan, ...		
,, Kungar Khan, ...		
,, Ameer Khan, ...		
13th Irregular Cavalry.		
Duffadar Muttch Khan,...		
3rd Oude Irregular Cavalry.		
Duffadar Gholam Hyder Khan, ...		
,, Golam Kadur Khan, ...		
Malwa Contingent.		
Resaldar Meer Murdan Ali,...		
Duffadar Kaleh Khan, ...		
Sowar Khoda Bukhsh,...		
2nd Gwalior Contingent.		
Sowar Nujeeb Khan, ...		

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

Leave of Absence.

No. 165.—Captain J. R. Sladen, from 1st March to 1st May 1858, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe, on medical certificate, on the new Regulations.

J. D. MACPHERSON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary.

Lahore, 10th February, 1858.

1th SIKH INFANTRY, AND 6th PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 166.—The following movements are directed :—

The right or remaining Wing of the 1st Regiment Sikh Infantry, to march forthwith, with all practicable speed, from Dera Ghazee Khan *via* Ferozepore, towards Umballa.

Two complete Companies of the 6th Punjab Police Battalion to be detached on receipt of this order, to Dera Ghazee Khan, where they will remain till relieved by the remainder of the 2nd Belooch Battalion from Scinde.

1st SIKH INFANTRY.

Appointment.

No. 167.—Captain H. Battye, of the 56th Regiment, Native Infantry, at present Assistant Commissioner at Jhelum, is appointed to officiate as 2nd in Command, and directed to join the Left Wing on its reaching Ferozepore.

Lahore, 11th February, 1858.

No. 168.—The services of Mr. J. S. Amos, Acting Master in the Indian Navy, being no longer required as Agent at Kurrachee for the despatch of Government Stores for the Punjab, they are accordingly dispensed with, in anticipation of the sanction of the Supreme Government.

1st SIKH INFANTRY.

Promotion.

No. 169.—Havildar Sheikh Heydyatoollah, to be Jemadar, in the room of Bheekh Sing, struck off the strength of the Regiment.

No. 170.—All Officers Commanding Corps, Captains and Lieutenants of Police, and Officers in charge of the Levies, horse and foot, will be pleased to furnish Bi-monthly Disposition Returns to the Quarter Master General's Department of the Division to which they belong. A Form is annexed, under the head of " Effective " are to be included all the Non-Commissioned Officers and men at Head Quarters of Corps, or Levies,

capable of performing duty, and under the head of "Non-Effective," all sick and wounded men present. Any men absent, or on duty, at other stations, are to be accounted for in the Disposition Returns of those stations.

These Returns to be prepared and forwarded so as to reach Division Head Quarters by the 14th and last day of each month.

The Returns from Kohat to be sent to Peshawur, and from Bunnoo and the Derajat to Lahore.

FORM.

Disposition Return of the ______________ Regiment, (Police Battalion, or as the case may be)

Detail,	Europeans.						Native, (armed.)						Native, (disarmed.)						REMARKS.
	Effective.			Non Effective.			Effective.			Non Effective.			Effective.			Non Effective.			
	Officers.	N. C. O. & men.	Horses.	Officers.	N. C. O. & men.	Horses.	Officers.	N. C. O. & men.	Horses.	Officers.	N. C. O. & men.	Horses.	Officers.	N. C. O. & men	Horses.	Officers.	N. C. O. & men.	Horses.	
Total,....																			

Adjutant. *Commanding the*

LAHORE, 12TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 171.—Lieutenant C E. Farquharson, 6th Light Cavalry, is appointed to do duty as a supernumerary, with effect from the 4th instant.

No. 172.—The Officer Commanding is authorized to entertain 30 Sowars in excess of the established compliment, as a temporary measure, pending the appointment of the full number of Non-Commissioned Officers to the corps.

7TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 173.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Lukha, ...	Subadar,	1st *Dec.*, 1857,	} For the augmentation.
Urjoon Sing,..................	ditto,	ditto,	
Havildars.			
Rokumdeen, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	Jemadar Lukha promoted.
Lalloo, ...	ditto,	ditto,	Ditto Urjoon Sing ditto.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 174.—Captain G. C. Bloomfield, Commandant, for two months from the 5th Instant, on medical certificate, to visit Ferozepore and Lahore.

3RD SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 175.—The following Regimental Orders issued by Captain R. Renny, Commanding, are confirmed.

20th Jany. 1858.—Directing Brevet Captain T. A. Corbett. 2nd in Command, to act as Adjutant, in the room of Lieutenant R. B. Dundas, whose services have been placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

1st Feb. 1858.—Assuming charge of the Adjutant's Office, there being no other Officer present with the Regiment.

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. to the Mily. Secy.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept., No. 298 9, dated 13th February, 1858.

Major F. C. Marsden, Deputy Commisssioner of Googaira, for three months, from 1st April, 1858, to enable him to proceed to Calcutta or Bombay, preparatory to retiring from the service.

Genl. Dept., No. 329 30, dated 18th February, 1858.

Captain H. T. Bartlett, Officiating Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Peshawur, has obtained 30 days' privilege leave, from the 1st March, 1858.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Dept., No. 310, dated 15th February, 1858.

Captain W. R. Elliott, Assistant Commissioner, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Sealkote, as a temporary measure, in the room of Mr. Monckton.

TRANSFERS.

Genl. Dept., No. 301-8, dated 13th February, 1858.

The undermentioned subordinate Medical Officers in Civil employ, are placed at the disposal of the Superintending Surgeon of Meean Meer, for employment in the Military Department :—

Apothecary J. Saint, Anarkullee.
" J. McKimm, Madhopore.
" J. E. Harrison, Simla.
" J. W. Wilkinson, Dehra Ghazee Khan.
" J. Parnell, Khangurh.
" T. Nulty, Kuhroor,
" R. W. Harrison, Mooltan.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Mahomed Jan is transferred from Ferozepore to Khangurh, *vice* Mr. Parnell, and Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdool Hameed, from Jhelum to Kuhroor, *vice* Mr. Nulty.

DISMISSALS.

Genl. Dept., No. 336-8, dated 16th February, 1858.

The following individuals, dismissed from the Cis-Sutlej Division, during the half year, ending 31st December, 1857, are proscribed from further employment in the Punjab:—

Mukdoom Buksh, Police Mohurrir, for making false reports.

Abdoolah, Thanadar, for concealing a case of theft, and releasing criminals.

Uhmud Hoosein Khan, Thanah Jemadar, for bribery, and concealing a case of theft.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, has been pleased* to rule that, in future, the same Fees shall be charged for Registry in Military Cantonments in the Punjab, as are levied in the Civil jurisdiction.

* No. 534, dated 5th February, 1858.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secretary to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

Lahore, 8th February, 1858.

The following Extract of a Resolution in the Home Department, dated Camp Allahabad, the 9th February, 1858, is published for general information :—

PARA. 5.—Under orders, which have been issued in the Foreign Department, the Delhi Division has been separated from the North-Western Provinces, and has been attached to the Punjab, under the administration of Sir John Lawrence, G. C. B.

(True Extract,)

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

The following General Order, by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, in the Military Department, is re-published for general information :—

Fort William, the 1st Dec., 1857.

No. 1514 OF 1857.—On the 10th of July last, the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council was pleased to proclaim, that every Pensioner of the Government, who conceals, or harbors, any person, whom he knows, or has reason to believe, to have been guilty of mutiny, or desertion, or of waging war against the Government, or of seducing, or attempting to seduce, any Officer or Soldier from his allegiance or duty, or who fails to do his utmost, to secure the apprehension and conviction of such offender, or who neglects to give immediate notice to the Civil or Military Authorities of any mutinous or rebellious designs, of which he may become cognizant, shall, in addition to the punishment to which he is liable by Law, forfeit his pension.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council now further proclaims, that all male Pensioners, who shall fail to present themselves at the Offices where they have heretofore been paid, within the prescribed periods of payment,* or, who coming in, shall fail to establish a reasonable ground for believing that they have not only not joined in the rebellion, but that they have, according to their opportunities, taken part with the Government, will forfeit their pensions.

* Rule 147, Section XXI Code 1849.

Upon the arrival of any Pensioner at the station, where payment is customarily made, a Committee of Officers will be appointed, under the orders of the Officer Commanding, to institute a rigid enquiry, and to record its opinion, whether, or not, the conduct of such Pensioner has been such as to call for a forfeiture of his Pension.

At stations, where Committees cannot be convened, the Pension Pay Master, or the Civil Authorities, will institute such strict investigation into the cases of Pensioners as may be practicable, recording the facts of the case as well as their opinion upon it.

The Proceedings of all Committees, held under this order, are to be transmitted to the Military Department, for the consideratien of Government.

The following classes of Pensioners are exempted from forfeiture, except under the ordinary Pension Regulations :—

Cripples, and those who are infirm from great age, or the effects of disease, whether native Officers and Soldiers, or their heirs, and who, from these causes, have not been accustomed heretofore, to attend in person, to receive their Pensions.

Insane Pensioners.

Women and children, and Widows of Members of the "Order of Merit."

(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Lt. Col.*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India
in the Mily. Dept.

(True Copy,)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offg Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Extract, from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 22nd January, 1858, is published for general information :—

Read an endorsement from the Home Department, No. 2719, dated the 28th ultimo, forwarding, for consideration and orders, a letter from the Secretary to Government, Central Provinces, enquiring whether Government General Order No. 1514, dated 1st December, 1857, relative to the payment of the pensions of Military Pensioners, are applicable to the case of Civil Pensioners.

Read the Government General Order No. 1514, dated 1st ultimo above referred to.

Resolution.

The Hon'ble the Lieutenant Governor of the Central Provinces enquires, whether the Rules, respecting the payment of the pension of Military pensioners, promulgated in Government General Order No 1514, dated 1st December, 1857, are applicable to the case of Civil pensioners.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council does not see how the Rules referred to, can be applicable to Civil pensioners, though, if any of them are doubtful their cases, should be specially reported.

His Lordship in Council observes, however, that there can be no harm in acting on the spirit of the Military Rules in question.

Order.

Ordered—That a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the Home Department, for information and communication to the Government of the Central Provinces.

*Foreign Department.
Military ditto.
Public Works ditto.
Bengal Government.
Madras ditto.
Bombay ditto.
N. W. P. ditto.
Straits Settlement.
Accountant General, Government of India.
Civil Auditor, Fort William.
Mint Committee, Calcutta.

Ordered also—That a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Departments, Governments and Officers noted in the margin* for information and guidance.

(True Extract)
(Sd) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

FOR SALE.—The undermentioned Deodar Timber at the Government Depôts of Kiasi, Aknore, Kana-ki-Chuk, Bahadoopore, Wuzeerabad, and Hyderabad.

1,500 logs of 20 feet in length and upwards.
3,900 do., between 20 and 14 feet in length.
8,400 do., under 14 feet in length.

RATES.—*For Government purposes.*—Logs 14 feet in length or more, at 4 cubic feet per Rupee. Logs under 14 feet in length, at 5 cubic feet per Rupee.

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Damaged logs of all lengths, at 7 cubic feet per Rupee.

All logs, lying scattered along the banks of the river, between the Depôts, at 4½ to 6 cubic feet per Rupee.

Applications for Timber to be made to Lieut. J. Peyton, Superintendent, Pangee Timber Agency.

EDWARD PASKE,

Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 13TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 176.—The leave of absence, on Medical Certificate, granted in Punjab Orders No. 327, of 23rd October, 1857, and No. 1 of 2nd Jan., 1858, to Captain A Wilde, Commanding 4th Punjab Infantry, is commuted to privilege leave from the 12th Octoberto the 7th December, 1857, on which latter date, Captain Wilde returned to his duties.

1ST SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 177.—Lieut. G. J. Harcourt is permitted to resign his appointment in the 1st Sikh Regiment, and to proceed to join his own, the 1st Madras European Fusiliers, in anticipation of the sanction of Government.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 178.—The Regimental order of the 9th January, 1858, by Major Vaughan, Commanding, appointing Lieut. C. E. Stewart, H. M.'s 27th Regiment, to officiate as Adjutant is sanctioned.

No 3 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 179.—Battery Order of the 15th January, 1858, by Lieut. Meecham, Commanding, appointing Rough Rider and Farrier Sergeant M. Janyane, to officiate as Laboratory man during the ensuing practice season, is confirmed.

LAHORE AND MOOLTAN TRANSPORT TRAIN.

180.—The following Establishments are sanctioned :—

FOR LAHORE.

1 Mutsuddee, at 20 Rupees per mensem.
1 Chuprassee, at 4 Rupees per mensem.

FOR MOOLTAN.

1 Mutsuddee, at 20 Rupees per mensem.
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MOOLTAN REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 181.—The Peshawur Division Order of the 18th December last, by Major General Cotton, Commanding, appointing Lieut. B. Wliliams, late 57th Native Infantry, doing duty with the 18th Irregular Cavalry, to the command of a Ressala, proceeding on service down country, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement, with reference to his appointment to act as Adjutant to the Regiment of Mooltanee Cavalry, of which the above Ressala forms a portion.

LAHORE, 18TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 182.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 366, dated 24th October, 1857, 20 sepoys from the 4 Augmentation Companies of the 4th Seikh Infantry, being in excess of the number required to complete the establishment of the 14th Punjab Infantry, are transferred to the 18th Punjab Infantry.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 183.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Havildars.			
Nauthoo,..............	Jemadar,	2nd Feby., 1858,	Jemadar Jodha, deceased.

3RD SEIKH INFANTRY.

No. 184.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Bhugwan Sing, ...	Subadar,	15th *Dec.*, 1857,	Subadar Banee Sookul, dismissed not having rejoined from Furlough.
Khan Sing,...	Ditto,	ditto,	Subadar Purson Tewary, ditto.
Havildars.			
Goordut Sing, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	Jemadar Ramchurn Opadiah.
Shaday Khan, ...	Ditto,	ditto,	Jemadar Bhugwan Sing promoted.
Hushtoo Sing, ...	Ditto,	ditto,	Jemadar Khan Sing, do.

LAHORE, 19TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 185.—Lieut. J. B. Chatterton, Officiating Adjutant, for two months, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, on medical certificate, with effect from the date of departure from his Regiment.

No. 186.—The Battalion of Police lately raised at Lahore, and now employed in the Delhi Division, under command of Lieut. T. Staples, will hereafter be designated the 8th Battalion of Punjab Police.

8TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 187.—Sunt Sing, Subadar, from the 2nd Police Battalion, to be Native Adjutant, vice Meean Sing promoted.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 188.—All transfers to the 20th Punjab Infantry, directed by the Military Secretary's Circular No. $\frac{16}{2735}$, dated 3rd July, 1857, are to be considered to have effect from the 8th July, 1857.

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain*,
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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Captain H. R. James, Deputy Commissioner of Peshawur, for one month, on urgent private affairs, from the 10th March, 1858, or from the date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

Genl. Dept., No. 369 70, dated 24th February, 1858.

DISMISSAL.

The Chief Commissioner has been pleased to withdraw the prohibition, to the re-employment in the service of Government, of Mr. G. H. Kearney, late Assistant Overseer on the Lahore and Peshawur Road.

Genl. Dept., No. 359 61, dated 23rd February, 1858.

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

The following Government Circular, in the Foreign Department, is published for general information :—

CIRCULAR No. 607.

From C. BEADON, EQSUIRE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
To SIR J. LAWRENCE, G. C. B.,
Chief Commissioner, Punjab.
Dated Fort William, 8th February, 1858.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that, under instructions received from the Honorable the Court of Directors, the Honorable the President in Council interdicts the appointment, to the charge of a Jail Hospital, of any Medical Officer, who has not passed the colloquial examimation prescribed by the orders of Government (Military Department,) No. 60, dated the 1st March, 1844.

Foreign Dept.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) C. BEADON,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
the 8th Feby., 1858.

(True Copy,)
EDWARD PASKE, *Lieut.*
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr. Punjab.

NOTICE.

No. 2 OF 1858.

It is hereby requested, with reference to the annexed Resolution of Government, that Heads of Offices in the Punjab, whose Pay Abstracts are subject to Civil Audit, will report forthwith to this office if they have any Military Pensioners of the grade of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates employed on their Establishments as clerks, with a view to the allowances of such parties being adjusted in future, in accordance with the orders contained in the said Resolution.

2*nd.*—Where there are no employées of the class alluded to, a Certificate, indicative to the fact, should accompany the first Abstract submitted after receipt of this Notification.

W. J. RAYNOR,
Civil Auditor, Punjab.

Punjab Civil Auditor's Office,
Lahore,
26th February, 1858.

No. 88.

Fort William, Financial Department,
The 8th January, 1858.

Resolution.

The Honorable the Court of Directors having decided in the case of Captain W. E. Hay, a retired Military Officer, subsequently appointed Assistant Commissioner at Kûlû in the Punjab, that the rule, under which Civil Pension is merged in the salary of office, should apply to the case of Military Officers drawing pensions for Military service, and that upon this principle Captain Hay should be allowed the authorized salary of his appointment, *minus* the amount of his pension, the Chief Commissioner in the Punjab enquires, whether this decision is applicable to Military Pensioners of the grade of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates, who may be employed in the Uncovenanted service as Clerks.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council observes that in Bengal measures have been taken to regulate the allowances of Military Pensioners of every grade, who have been

re-employed in the Civil Department, according to the above orders of the Hon'ble Court, which must be the guide for the future.

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Secretary to the Govt. of India.
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EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 20TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 189.—The Regimental Order, dated 4th January, 1858, by Lieutenant Williamson Commanding, appointing Lieutenant A. P. O'Malley doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Lieutenant T. L. Roberts, appointed to officiate as 2nd in Command, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

ALLAHABAD POLICE HORSE.

No. 190.—Lieutenant W. F. Metge, H. M.'s 8th (the King's) Regiment, is appointed to officiate as Commandant of two Ressalhas of Cavalry being raised at Lahore, for service in the Allahabad District. This appointment to have effect from the 15th instant.

Lieutenant Metge is sanctioned a staff salary of Rupees 167 per mensem.

The strength, organization, pay, &c., of these Ressallas, will correspond in all respects with those of the Punjab Mounted Police.

24TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 191.—In conformity to instructions contained in Government letter, Military Department, No. 1688 of the 29th January, 1858, the Corps of Muzhubee Seikhs, at present on field service, under command of Lieutenant H. W. Gulliver of Engineers, is brought on the strength of the Punjab Irregular Force, and will henceforth or till further orders, be designated the 24th (Pioneer) Regiment Punjab Infantry.

The strength, Establishment, pay, &c., of the 24th Punjab Infantry, will conform, in all respects, with the other Infantry Corps of the Force.

From the 1st March (proximo), the payment of this Corps will be transferred from the Civil to the Military Pay Department.

Lieutenant Gulliver and the Officers serving under his command, will continue to be attached to the 24th (Pioneer) Regiment. of Punjab Infantry, so long as their services may be available for this duty.

LAHORE, 23RD FEBRUARY, 1858.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 192.—The Dehra Ghazee Khan Station Order of the 13th February, 1858, by Captain Gell commanding, appointing Lieut. J. P. Burton, doing duty with the 3rd Punjab Cavalry, to officiate as station staff, in addition to his own duties, consequent on the departure of Lieutenant Grant, 1st Seikh Infantry, with his Regiment, is confirmed.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 193.—In compliance with orders received from the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India, a 4th Regiment of Seikh Irregular Cavalry will be raised at Lahore forthwith.

The 4th Regiment will be raised and organized under the same orders that have been issued. for the formation of the other three Regiments of Seikh Irregular Cavalry.

APPOINTMENTS.

Lieutenant H. C. Cattley, from the 11th Punjab Infantry, to be officiating Adjutant.

Lieutenant Cattley is directed to proceed and report himself, without delay, at Lahore, where he will receive over charge of such men, as have already been raised for the 4th Seikh Irregular Cavalry. by the Officiating Captain of Police, Lahore Division.

Further appointments of European Officers to this Corps will be notified hereafter, and no Native Officers are to be appointed, pending the Chief Commissioner's orders.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 194.—In partial cancelment of Punjab Order No. 164, dated 10th February, 1858, the undermentioned individuals, who, at an early period of the outbreak of the Native Army, joined Captain MacNeile, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Thanesur, under whom they have since served, are to be brought on the strength of the 2nd Regiment Seikh Irregular Cavalry, with effect from the 1st January, 1858, as Supernumeraries, and returned as "on Command," pending their joining the Regiment :—

Capt. P. Hockin, Commanding, will be pleased to draw for their arrears of pay, under the opera-

tion of *Punjab Gazette* Order, No. 68, of 1st September, 1857, and on receipt, to adjust all advances that have been made to them from the Thanesur Civil Treasury.

MALWA CONTINGENT.

Ressaldar Meer Murdan Alee.
Duffadar Kulloo Khan.
Sowar Sheikh Khoda Buksh.

15TH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

Ressaldar Azeemooddeen Khan.
Sowar Drab Khan.
" Amee Chund.
" Iradut Khan.
" Alee Mahomed Khan, (died 17th January, 1858.)

3RD OUDE IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

Sowar Gholam Hyder Khan.
" Gholam Kadur Khan.

2ND IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

Sowar Nujeeb Khan.

13TH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

Duffadar Nuthah Khan.

LAHORE, 25TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

15TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 195.—PROMOTIONS :—

Rank and names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Nutha Singh,	Subadar,	1st January, 1858,	To complete the Establishment.
Khurruck Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Ram Singh,	Ditto,	1st February, 1858,	
Goormookh Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Esur Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Ram Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Mutsuda Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Cheit Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Jowahir Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Juckha Singh,	Jemadar,	1st December, 1857,	
Rookundeen,	Ditto,	1st February, 1858,	
Goojjur Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Soobha Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Soolukhun Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Shumeer Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Kishen Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Jhunda Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Boota Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Chattoor Singh,	Ditto,	Ditto,	

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 196.—Lieutenant J. Watson, from the 1st Regiment Punjab Cavalry, to be Commandant.

This cancels the appointment of Lieutenant J. Watson, to officiate as Captain of Police, Jhelum Division, directed by Punjab Order, No. 184 of 24th September last.

Lieutenant Watson will continue with the Detachment of the 1st Punjab Cavalry, with the Army in the Field, pending the pleasure of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

7TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 197.—Lieutenant T. E. Gordon, of H. M.'s 61st Regiment, to officiate as 2nd in command, *vice* Lieutenant Godby, transferred by Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to the 1st Seikh Irregular Cavalry.

19TH TROOP PUNJAB MOUNTED POLICE.

PROMOTION.

No. 198.—Goolam Hyder Serai, to be Jemadar, in the room of Khan Bahadoor Khan, resigned.

26TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 199.—Lieutenant and Adjutant C. E Bates, from the 13th February, till the 13th May, 1858, to remain at Jullundur, on Medical Certificate, and under the new Rules.

MAGAZINE DEHRA ISMAEL KHAN.

No. 200.—Magazine Sergeant T. Lally is appointed to officiate as Sub-Conductor, in charge of Park and Ordnance Stores, during the ensuing Annual Practice of No. 4, or Garrison Company, Artillery P. I. Force, with effect from 1st February, 1858.

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 201.—Buglers Isaac Clarkson, George Nyce and Edward Leander, as Trumpeters, from the 23rd Punjab Infantry.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. to the Mily. Secy.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

General, 383 A.B., dated 27th February, 1858.

Mr. R. Temple resumed charge of the office of Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, on the 27th February last.

General, No. 387, dated 27th February, 1858.

Doctor Picthall, Civil Surgeon of Goordaspore, is placed in medical charge of the establishments of the Baree Doab Canal.

General, No. 393, dated 1st March, 1858.

Mr. D. Simson, C. S., having reported his return from furlough, is posted to the charge of the Loodianah District, and re-appointed Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class, in the Punjab Commission.

General, No. 399, dated 1st March, 1858.

Mr. A. K Blackall, Extra Assistant, has been appointed to the charge of the Mooltan Treasury.

General, No. 419, dated 4th March, 1858.

Lieutenant E. H. Paske to officiate temporarily as Assistant Secretary, from the date on which Mr. Temple resumed charge of his duties.

Rev. No. 171-2, dated 27th February, 1858.

Lieutenant Anderson, Revenue Surveyor, is directed to receive charge of the Sind Sagur Survey, from Lieutenant Colonel Shortrede.

Mr. E. Blyth, Assistant Revenue Surveyor, will continue in charge of the Revenue Survey of the Baree Doab, as a temporary arrangement.

Revenue, No. 178, dated 2d March, 1858.

Mr. John Ross is appointed an Assistant Patrol on the Bhutteeana Customs Line.

Revenue, No. 180, dated 2d March, 1858.

Mr. A. Brandreth is placed in charge of all the current Revenue duties of Pind Dadun Khan Tuhseel, in addition to his duties, as Settlement Officer of the Jhelum District.

Judicial, No. 122 E., dated 2d March, 1858.

Captain Rothney, Commanding 4th Seikh Infantry, is appointed a Member of the Commission, assembled at Delhi, for the trial of Offenders, under Acts XIV., XVI. and XVII. of 1857, in the Delhi District.

TRANSFERS.

General, No. 401-2, dated 1st March, 1858.

Lieut. Smyly, Assistant Commissioner, is transferred to Dehra Ismael Khan, and Lieutenant Minchin, Assistant Commissioner, to Dehra Ghazee Khan.

General, No. 426-7, dated 6th March, 1858.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Sudee-ool-Huq is transferred from Loodianah to the charge of the Civil Dispensary, at Kuhroor.

LEAVE.

P. W. Department, No. 252, dated 1st March, 1858.

Captain F. Atkinson, Executive Engineer of the Upper Sirhind Division, has obtained leave on Medical Certificate, from the 20th February to 20th May, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe.

P. W. Department, No. 262, dated 2d March, 1858.

Mr. Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Wallace, Sub-Engineer, has obtained one month's extension of leave, from 14th February, on medical certificate.

EDWARD PASKE,

Offg. Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following Extract, from a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, addressed to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 96 of 1857, dated the 16th December, is published for general information :—

Letter from, dated 19th June, 1857, No. 89. Solicits instructions on the question, whether the Re-

PARA. 2. Our general instruction, that the Statements of Receipts and Disbursements should contain only cash transactions, is to be applied to

ceipts and charges, on account of Postage on Service letters and Parcels, should be excluded from the statement of Receipts and Disbursements.

the case of Postage on Service letters and Parcels. This postage, as we have already informed you in a previous despatch, should be exhibited in the Receipts, the charge being debited in the Disbursements to to the several Departments to which it properly appertains.

(True Extract.)

EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

FOR SALE.—The undermentioned Deodar Timber at the Government Depôts of Riasi, Aknore, Kana-ki-Chuk, Bahadoorpore, Wuzeerabad, and Hyderabad.

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Offg. Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 27TH FEBRUARY, 1858.

15TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 202.—The Officer Commanding is authorized to entertain 100 Sepoys, in excess of the established complement, pending the appointment of Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers to the Regiment. This order to have retrospective effect.

LAHORE, 2ND MARCH, 1858.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 203.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 32, dated 9th January, 1858, the following additional transfers are made from the Corps of Guides, with effect from the 1st January, 1858 :—

Jemadar Aia Sing.
Naick Kala Singh.
„ Waisakhu Sing.
Sepoy Khaisur Sing.
„ Phoola Sing.
„ Punjab Sing.
„ Nanoo Sing.
„ Beer Sing.

11TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 204.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar Sahib Ram,	Subadar,	20th Oct. 1857,	For the augmentation, and to complete the establishment.
„ Nehal Sing,	do,	do,	
Havildar Prem Sing,	Jemadar,	do,	
„ Peer Bux,	do,	do,	Jemadar Sahib Ram promoted.
„ Wuzeer Sing,	do,	do,	„ Nehal Sing, do.
„ Sahib Sing,	do,	4th Feb. 1858,	„ Lutchmnn Narain, Struck off.
„ Mahomed Bux,	do,	do,	„ Futteh Khan, Struck off.

2ND BATTALION POLICE N. W. P.

TRANSFER.

No. 205.—Sepoy Khan Sing, from the 13th Punjab Infy., with effect from 1st February 1858.

PATHAN HORSE.

Ressalla of Sultan Jan.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 206.—Kooshdil Khan to be Jemadar, in the room of Suliman Khan, deceased.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 207.—The Regimental Order of the 16th January, 1858, by Captain Macpherson commanding, appointing Captain R. Ouseley, 34th N. I., to officiate as second in command *vice* Lieut. Aikman, appointed to officiate as second in command, 3rd Seikh Irregular Cavalry, is confirmed with effect from the 4th idem.

1ST SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 208.—The transfer of Ressaldar Fyz Mahomed Khan, from the 3rd Punjab Infantry, published in Punjab Order No. 221, dated 30th September, 1857, to have effect from 1st August, 1857.

LAHORE, 3RD MARCH, 1858.

19TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 209.—The Rawul Pindee Station Order of the 2nd October, 1857, by Brigadier Campbell commanding, transferring Sepoy Seikh Kureem Bux, of the 65th Native Infantry, is confirmed.

4TH SEIKH INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 210.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose Room.
Jemadar.			
Chunda Sing,	Subadar,	1st Dec. 1857,	Subadar Chait Sing, dismissed.
Havildars.			
Surroop Sing,	Jemadar,	30th Nov. 1857,	Jdr. Wuzeer Mahd. Khan, do.
Huzrut Shah,	do.,	do.,	,, Luchmun Doobie, do.
Moosudda Sing,	do.,	1st Dec. 1857,	,, Chunda Sing, promoted.
Wadut Khan,	do.,	do.,	,, Thakoor Sing, dismissed.

MOOLTANEE REGMIENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 211.—Assistant Surgeon N. B. Baillie is appointed to the medical charge.

LAHORE, 4TH MARCH, 1858.

No. 212.—Under the authority of Government letter No. 138, dated 6th June, 1857, the following invalid pensions are sanctioned, with effect from the date on which the parties were struck off the rolls of their respective Regiments:—

4TH SEIKH INFANTRY.

Subadar Misree Lall, Rs. 18 per mensem.
Havildar Bissessur Sing, Rs. 6 ditto.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

Havildar Nund Kumar Tewarry, Rs. 6 per mensem.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 213.—Assistant Surgeon W. Peskett is appointed to the medical charge.

6TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 214.—The Regimental Order of the 10th February, 1858, by Lieut. Quin commanding, appointing Lieut. G. F. M. Phillips, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant during the absence of Lieut. Saunders, or until further orders, is confirmed.

MOOLTANEE HORSE LEVY.

No. 215.—The Meerut Division Order of the 17th February, by Major General Penny, C. B., Commanding, appointing 1st Class Native Doctor Neamut Khan, is notified.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 216.—The Peshawur Division Order of the 20th February, 1858, by Major General S. Cotton Commanding, appointing Ensign A. Shaw, 14th Native Infantry, to do duty, is confirmed.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 217.—Jemadar Secunder Shah is dismissed the service, and will be struck off the Rolls from the date of his leaving the Head Quarters of the Regiment.

PATHAN HORSE.

Ressallas of Mahomed Afzul Khan, Raza Mahomed Khan and Surfraz Khan.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 218.—Lieut. G. C. H. Armstrong (59th N. I.) doing duty, from the 1st March till the 31st August, 1858, to visit Simla on Medical certificate, under the new Regulations.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 219.—Bugler Actor Buland, and Sepoy Lall Sing, from the Corps of Guides.

CORPS OF GUIDES.

No. 220.—The transfer of Naick Nusseem Alli to the 14th Punjab Infantry, directed by Punjab Order No. 447, dated 23rd November, 1857, is cancelled.

No. 221.—The transfers of Naick Unmool Sing and Sepoy Gunga Ram, from the 4th Native Infantry, directed in Punjab Order No. 143, dated 4th February, 1858, to have effect from the 1st January, 1858.

ALTERATION OF RANK.

No. 222.—The promotion of Subadar Delawur Khan and Jemadar Ghuseetah, noted in Punjab Order No. 423, dated 14th November last, will have effect from the 1st May, 1857.

CORPS OF GUIDES.

No. 223.—Promotions.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose Room.
Jemadar.			
Korbaa Alli, ...	Subadar, ...	2nd Oct., 1857,	Subadar Kodrutoolah, transferred.
Havildars.			
Surfaraz,..................	Jemadar, ...	Ditto,	Jemadar Korban Alli, promoted.
Futteh Khan,..........	ditto, ...	1st Nov., 1857,	,, Joallah Sing, transferred.
Nehal Sing, ...	ditto, ...	15th ditto,	,, Tullog Sing, deceased.
Resaidar.			
Jewun Sing, ...	Ressaldar,......	21st May, 1857,	For the augmentation.
Jemadars.			
Prem Sing,...............	Resaidar, ...	Ditto,	Resaidar Jewun Sing, promoted.
Muddit Khan, ...	ditto, ...	1st May, 1857,	,, Ahmed Khan, struck off.
Kote Duffadars.			
Sultan Alli, ...	Jemadar, ...	Ditto,	Jemadar Muddit Khan, promoted.
Mirza Abdool Beg, ...	ditto, ...	Ditto,	,, Jodha Sing, struck off.
Fuzl Khan, ...	ditto, ...	21st May, 1857,	,, Prem Sing, promoted.
Dull Sing, ...	ditto, ...	20th ditto,	For the augmentation.

PUNJAB IRREGULAR FORCE.

No. 224.—The attention of Officers Commanding Corps of the Punjab Force, is called to Para. 11, Part 2nd, Section XXVII. of the Military Regulations, and they will be held responsible for the strict observance of the order, which directs certificates, showing period of service, cause of discharge, &c., being furnished to all men, recruits as well as old soldiers, who may be discharged the service.

Lahore, 5th March, 1858.

No. 225.—All Officers, Commanding Punjab Corps or Detachments, when marching in progress of Relief, Escort duty, or on service, on arrival within, and on quitting the limits of, a Divisional, or District, command, will at once report for the information of the Officer commanding in the same.

No. 226.—The following Form of Disposition Return, is published in substitution of the one prescribed in Punjab Order No. 170 of the 10th February last:—

FORM.

DISPOSITION RETURN of the   Regiment (Police Battalion as the case may be)

Station.	Corps.	British Non-Commissioned Officers and men.			Native Non-Commissioned Officers and men.	Total Non-Commissioned Officers and men, (British and Native.)	Guns.	Disarmed Native Troops of all ranks.	REMARKS.

, *Adjutant.*

Commanding the

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. to the Mily. Secy.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

The Government of India have been pleased to make the following appointments and promotions in the Punjab Commission:—

To be Deputy Commissioners—1st Class.

Mr. D. Simson.
Mr. P. S. Melvill.
Capt. O. L. McL. Farrington.

To be Deputy Commissioners—3rd Class.

Lieutenant J. E. Cracroft.
Mr. R. Egerton.

To be Assistant Commissioners—1st Class.

Captain McNeile.
Mr. C. P. Elliott.
Captain J. Fendall.
Lieut. H. B. Urmston.
Lieut. G. Battye.
Lieut. H. Mackenzie.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept., No. 443 4, dated 10th March, 1858.

The leave granted to Capt. H. T. Bartlett, Officiating Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Peshawur, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 20th February, 1858, is commuted to 30 days' privilege leave, *from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.*

P. W. Dept., No. 316-7, dated 12th March, 1858.

Mr. P. Lennox, Assistant Engineer, Lower Sirhind Division of Public Works, for one month, on Medical Certificate, from the date of his availing himself of the same.

Genl. Dept., No. 457, dated 12th March, 1858.

The leave granted to the Rev. R. Panting, Chaplain of Jullundur, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 28th November, 1857, is commuted to indulgence leave, from the 31st October to the 30th November, 1857, both days inclusive.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Dept., No. 414 A., dated 4th March, 1858.

Mr. C. P. Elliott, Assistant Commissioner of Loodiana, is transferred to Jhung, and will officiate as Deputy Commissioner of that District, on the departure of Captain Hawes.

TRANSFERS.

Genl. Dept., No. 426-7, dated 6th March, 1858.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Sudee-ool-Huq, from Loodiana to Kuhroor. The appointment of Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdool Hameed to Kuhror, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 20th February, 1858, is cancelled.

Genl. Dept., No. 455-6. dated 12th March, 1858.

Mr. C. W. Aitchison, Assistant Commissioner, from the Umritsur to the Lahore District.

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Government Circular, in the Public Works Department, is published for general information:—

From

CAPTAIN H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to Govt. of India,

To

Dated the 29th January, 1858.

Public Works Dept. Military.

SIR,—The following circumstances, illustrative of the importance of accurate specifications, and of strict adherence to them when correct; of reporting departures from them when necessary, and of caution on the part of relieving Officers in accepting and working on those of their predecessors; are published to the Department generally, by order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council.

Rs. 62,684 0 0

Two Barracks were estimated to cost sixty-two thousand, six hundred and eight-four Rupees.

They were designed to stand on a basement of groined arches.

The whole of the work, except the arching, was specified and estimated by one Officer (A), to be executed in *rubble masonry.*

Another Officer, (B), who had to execute the piers of the groined arches, justly considering that common rubble work would be unsuitable in such a position, built them of a better description of masonry, in which the chisel was liberally used.

A third Officer, (C), succeeded to the charge of the work, young and inexperienced. He found but one kind of work specified, so he carried on

the superstructure in the higher style of work that he found in hand, for which, however, the same necessity did not exist.

Those, who followed this young Officer, continued the same style of work, until, at length, it was brought to notice by the Officer in charge, that the estimate would be much exceeded. This was obviously the duty of each one of his predecessors; but that Officer, (B,) is least excusable, who, judging rightly, in the first instance, of the inapplicability of the inferior work provided in the specification, omitted to report the necessary departure from it, and obtain sanction to the consequently greater outlay that would have to be incurred, and which must have been most apparent.

This case involves:—

1*st*.—A defective specification by one Officer, (A.)

2*nd*.—A failure on the part of the higher Controlling Officer, to check this defective specification.

3*rd*.—Laxity on the part of another Officer, (B), in departing from the specification without making a report.

4*th*.—Negligence on the part of several Officers, in failing to report that the estimate was being exceeded, and to consult the specification for each part of the building.

The result, as far as the Government is concerned, is this—the buildings have been constructed throughout in a much more expensive style, than was either contemplated or needed; and now that they are nearly finished, the revised estimate amounts to Rupees one lakh, eleven thousand, eight hundred and thirty-three, or Rupees forty-nine thousand, one hundred and forty-nine, in excess of the sum authorized in the first instance; the greater part of this excess being due to the shortcomings noticed above.

Rs. 1,11,833-0-0.

Rs. 49,149-0-0.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) H. YULE,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
The 29th Jan., 1858.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Assistant Secretary to Chief Commr.

NOTICE.

The Annual Examinations of Assistant and Extra-Assistant Commissioners, will be held on the 1st proximo.

EDWARD PASKE,
Secy. to the Central Committee of Examination.

Lahore,
The 13th March, 1858.

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EDWARD PASKE,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 6TH MARCH, 1858.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 227.—Havildars Goolab Shah and Kamran, from the 1st Punjab Infantry.

15TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 228.—Assistant Surgeon St. G. W. Tucker, M. D., is appointed to the medical charge.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 229.—Sowar Goolzar Ally, erroneously struck off by Regimental Order, dated 21st December, 1857, while on furlough, having joined the Squadron on service, is to be re-enrolled from that date.

11TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 230.—The Regimental Order of the 23d February, 1858, by Captain Denniss, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant F. Hammond, to officiate as Adjutant, as a temporary arrangement, in the room of Lieut. Cattley, removed to another appointment, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 8TH MARCH, 1858.

No. 231.—The following letter, from the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, is published for the information of Officers Commanding Troops of the Punjab Force on service in the Field:—

(Copy.)
No. 161.

To THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,
Punjab.

SIR,—In reply to your Military Secretary's letter, No. 65/1860 of the 8th instant, and its Enclosures, soliciting instructions regarding the limit as to time of the operation of the General Order, dated Head Quarters, Camp Delhi, 28th June, 1857, I am directed to state, that no limit as to time was intended in the grant of pensions to the heirs of Native Soldiers therein alluded to. The order issued is in the following words:—

Military Department.

"Such pensions as are now given to the heirs "of Native Soldiers and others, who may die on "foreign service, are granted to the heirs of all "entitled to the benefits of the family pension "regulations, who have died or who may die from "disease while employed in the field against the "mutineers."

2.—The only question when any sepoy dies is, whether the disease of which he dies was *bonâ*

fide, contracted on service at Delhi or elsewhere against the mutineers.

3.—The heirs of the men of Major Coke's Regiment, who died at Meerut, whose case has led to the present reference, are clearly entitled to pension, the deceased having died of disease contracted in the field at Delhi.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Col.*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India, in the Mily. Dept., with the Govr. Genl.
Camp Allahabad,
The 25th Feb., 1858.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 232.—With reference to Punjab Order, No. 56, dated 14th January, 1858, the following addition is sanctioned to the Establishment of the above Regiment :—

1 Native Doctor, pay, &c., according to class.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 233.—The Regimental Order of the 21st January, 1858, by Captain Wilde, Commanding, directing Lieut. O. L. Smith, to act as Adjutant, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 9TH MARCH, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 234.—The following appointments, made by the Officers Commanding the Delhi Field Force and Moveable Column, are notified :—

Rank, Name and Regt.	To what appointment.	Date of appointment.	By whose order appointed.
Ensign F. V. H. Sperling, 5th N. I., ...	To do duty,	10th Sept., 1857,	Delhi Brigade Order.
Lieut. C. Lane, 26th N. I.,	ditto,	26th ditto,	Movable Column Order.
Lieut. R. D. Osborn, ditto,	ditto,	Ditto,	Ditto.
Ensign L. J. H. Grey, 16th N. I., ...	ditto,	Ditto,	Ditto.
Lt. H. T. Oldfield, 9th N. I.,	ditto,	14th Oct., 1857.	Ditto.

GOOGAIRA LEVY.

TRANSFER.

No. 235.—Naick Gunda Singh, from the 2rd Punjab Police Battalion.

2ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 236.—The Regimental Order of the 16th Nov., 1857, by Captain Green, Commanding, directing Lieutenant and Adjutant W. P. Fisher, to act as 2nd in Command, *vice* Lieut. Frankland, killed in action, and Lieutenant J. P. Sherriff doing duty, to act as Adjutant, is confirmed.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 237.—Ally Ahmed (from the Irregular Levy of Gohur Mullick, Peshawur,) to be Jemadar, from the 1st January, 1858.

16TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 238.—Jemadar Surjah Singh, to be Subadar, with effect from the 28th February, 1858, to complete the establishment.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 239.—Jemadar Dhurm Singh, to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th of February 1858, to complete the establishment.

ALLAHABAD POLICE HORSE.

TRANSFER.

No. 240.—Sepoy Goojur Khan, from the 2nd Punjab Infantry.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 241.—Buxee Singh, Trooper, from the 10th Light Cavalry.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 242.—The Regimental Order of the 20th November last, by Captain Wilde, Commanding, directing Lieut. O. L. Smith, 48th Native Infantry, to act as 2nd in Command, consequent on the death of Lieut. W. Paul, from wounds received in action, is confirmed.

No. 242½.—Under the orders of Government, conveyed in letter No. 52, dated 15th February, 1858, from the Secretary to Government, Military Department, to the address of the Chief Commissioner, the pay of Sowars of the Punjab Cavalry is increased to rupees 25 per mensem.

This order to have effect from the 1st March 1858.

The Troops, which will benefit under the operation of this order, are as follows :—

The Guide Cavalry.
The 5 Corps of Punjab Cavalry.
The 4 Corps of Sikh Cavalry.
The Towana Horse, under Captain Souter, } while on general service.
The Mooltanee Regt. of Cav., under Capt. Cureton. } Ditto ditto.
The Mooltanee Horse, under Lieut. Lind, } Ditto ditto.
The Affghan Horse, under Major Stokes, } Ditto ditto.
The Affghan Horse, under Captain Smith, } Ditto ditto.

The Affghan Horse, under Lt. Vivian,	While on general service.
The Affghan Horse, attached to the 1st Punjab Infantry,	Ditto ditto.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 243.—2 Drafts, each of 40 Sikh Recruits, are directed to be made from the Sealkote and Goordaspore Levies to this Corps.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 244.—Lieut. and Adjutant C. E. Bates, is permitted to proceed to Bombay, (on the leave of absence granted him in Punjab Order, No. 199, dated 26th February, 1858,) preparatory to his applying for furlough to Europe, on medical certificate under the new Rules.

LAHORE, 11TH MARCH, 1858.

GOOGAIRA LEVY.

ERRATUM.

Punjab Order No. 142, dated 17th September, 1857 : for Sepoy Hyderdeen Khan, *read* Sepoy Golam Hyder.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 245.—Lieut. B. N. Smith, doing duty as a Supernumerary, is appointed "Doing Duty Officer," with a staff Salary of Rupees 167 per mensem.

11TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 246.—Lieut. F. I. N. Mackenzie, 52nd N. I., is appointed to do duty.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 247.—Lieut. C. W. Thomas, 4th Light Cavalry, is appointed to do duty as a Supernumerary.

1ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No 248.—The Regimental Order of the 22nd February, 1858, by Captain F. W. Lambert, assuming command of the Regiment, Major Coke, having been appointed to the command of a Sikh Brigade, is confirmed.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 249.—Jemadars Jewahir Sing and Kurrum Khan, from the 20th Punjab Infantry, to be Subadars, with effect from the 5th March, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 250.—The Regimental Order of the 11th January last, by Captain Wilde, commanding, directing Lieut. W. C. L. Ryves, to officiate as 2nd in Command, is confirmed.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 251.—The Regimental Order of the 20th November, 1857, by Captain Wilde, commanding, appointing Lieut. H. C. O'Dowda, 48th N. I. to act as Adjutant, *vice* Lieut. McQueen wounded, is confirmed.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 252.—

Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Abdool Hameed Khan, ..	Naib Ressaldar, ...	9th Dec. 1857,	Naib Ressaldar Cazee Golam Mohideen, deceased

W. WYLD, *Captain,*

Assistant Military Secretary.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT

TRANSFERS.

General Dept., No. 462 4, dated 15th March, 1858. Lieutenant A. Munro, Assistant Commissioner, from the Goojrat to the Peshawur District.

General Dept., No. 465 7, dated 15th March, 1858. Mr. W. B. Jones, Assistant Commissioner, from the Seealkote to the Goojrat District.

General Dept., No. 478 9, dated 16th March, 1858. Captain S. F. Graham, Assistant Commissioner, from the Peshawur to the Kohat District, with a view of his taking charge on the departure of Captain Henderson.

LEAVE.

General Dept. No. 459 60, dated 15th March, 1858. Captain H. J. Hawes, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Jhung, for three months, on medical certificate, from the 25th March, 1858, or from the date he may avail himself thereof, to enable him to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe.

APPOINTMENTS.

P. W. Dept., No. 333, dated 15th March, 1858. Capt. E. N. Sandilands, to be Assistant Executive Officer of Umballa, and Lieut. A. R. Bayly, to be Assistant Executive Officer of Jullunder.

P. W. Dept., No. 335, dated 16th March, 1858. Lieut. C. Pollard to assume Executive charge of Seealkote, as a temporary arrangement, in addition to his present duties, on the Lahore and Peshawur Road.

DISMISSALS.

General Dept., No. 490 2, dated 17th March, 1858. The following individuals, dismissed from the Jhelum District, during the half-year ending 30th June, 1857, are proscribed from further employment in the Punjab :—

Ramnarain, Sherishtadar,
Nund Kurn, Seeah Nuvees,
Issoree Pershad, Ahilmud Pension, } For embezzlement of Government money.

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Government Circular, in the Public Works Department, is published for general information :—

CIRCULAR No. 5768.

From

CAPTAIN H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,

To

SIR J. LAWRENCE, G. C. B.,
Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

Dated the 30th November, 1857.

Public Works Department—Public.

SIR,—I am directed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, to forward, for adoption, the accompanying two Forms of Indemnity Bond, to be executed by Civil Engineers and Subordinates accepting employment under Government in the Public Works Department, and prepared in accordance with para. 74 of this Department, Notification No. 117, dated 17th June 1856.

It will be observed that the Forms are to be used according as there are one or two Sureties.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) H. YULE,
Offg. Secy to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
The 30th November, 1857.

(True copy.)

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

KNOW ALL MEN by these Presents that We

[Name of Obligor]

of

[Name of one Surety] of

[Name of the other surety] and of

are held and firmly bound unto the East India Company in the sum of Company's Rupees [2,000 [or for Subordinates 400]] of lawful money of British India to be paid to the said East India Company or to their certain Attorney Successors or Assigns for which payment to be well and truly made. We bind ourselves our Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and every two of us bind ourselves our Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and each of us binds himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators separately firmly by these Presents sealed with our respective Seals dated this day of 185 . And each of us the said [Name of Obligor]

and [Name of Sureties]

doth hereby for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators covenant and agree with the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns that if any dispute or difference shall arise or happen touching or concerning the subject matter of the above written Bond or Obligation or any of the matters or things therein or in the condition thereof hereunder written contained the same shall and may be heard tried and determined in and by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

WHEREAS the above-bounden [Obligor]

hath entered into the service of the said East India Company in the [Engineer or Upper Subordinate. as the case may be] Establishment of the Public Works Department upon condition that he the said [Obligor] with two sufficient Sureties should enter into such Bond as is above written with such condition as hereunder written. NOW THE CONDITION of this Obligation is such that if the above-bounden [Obligor] has always since the commencement of his said service hitherto well and truly paid and applied and if the said [Obligor] his Executors or Administrators shall at all times hereafter well and truly pay and apply all such sums of money stores or other property as he has received or shall receive or has purchased or procured or shall purchase or procure in by or through the means or by virtue or under colour of the said service or appointment as aforesaid according to the true intent and purpose for which the said monies stores or other property have been or shall be and ought to be advanced issued paid or delivered purchased or procured and if the said [Obligor] has hitherto since the commencement of his said service rendered and if the said [Obligor] his Executors or Administrators shall at all times hereafter render just and true accounts and particulars according to the requirements of the Chief Engineer or Chief Engineers under whose Orders he may have been placed or may be placed or other duly authorized person of the expence heretofore or hereafter incurred in all Works done and all purchases made and materials and other things furnished by him or them or under his or their charge and shall from time to time account for and refund to the said East India Company the full amount of all such sums of money and the full value of all such stores materials and other property as may be justly disallowed or retrenched from his or their accounts or disbursements by the said Chief Engineer or other the person or persons having authority from the said East India Company to audit his or their accounts or disbursements (the justice of such retrenchment or disallowance if appealed against within two months from their being made known to the said [Obligor] his Executors or Administrators to be determined by the Governor General of India in Council or such person or persons as he shall nominate and appoint to determine the matter of appeal) and if the said [Obligor] his Executors or Administrators shall pay and satisfy to the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns the amount of such balance as on finally adjusting and settling the said accounts shall be found due from the said [Obligor] his Executors or Administrators and if the said [Obligor] shall and do in all things honestly and faithfully and to the best of his ability discharge the duties devolving upon him in respect of the said service and his employment for the time being and obey and conform to all such lawful Orders as shall from time to time be given him by such person or persons as shall be authorized or entitled to give him Orders in his said employment and also shall and do in all things well and

duly conform to and abide by all such Rules and Regulations as have been or shall be made in respect of such service and employment by the Governor General in Council or by any other competent authority and if the said
shall not at any time absent himself [Obligor]
from quit or neglect the service of the said East India Company or his employment for the time being without first giving six months' notice in writing to the Chief Engineer under whom he may be serving of his desire to quit the said service or in case the said [Obligor]
shall be guilty of any breach or neglect or absence of or from duty or any disobedience to or neglect of Orders Rules or Regulations as aforesaid the damages arising from which breach disobedience or neglect cannot be estimated by the amount of pecuniary loss sustained by the East India Company or whereby the said East India Company shall not sustain any ascertainable pecuniary loss then if the said shall [Obligor]
and do in respect of each and every such default breach or absence disobedience or neglect pay to the said East India Company the sum of Company's Rupees
to be paid to and recovered by the said East India [Half the penalty.]
Company by way of liquidated damages and not of penalty and which sum the said hereby agrees and binds himself to pay [Obligor]
to the said East India Company by way of ascertained and liquidated damages for and in respect of each and every such default breach absence disobedience neglect or omission as aforesaid and also if the said [Obligor]
and [Both Sureties]
their Heirs Executors and Administrators or some or one of them shall and do at all times hereafter fully and effectually indemnify and save harmless the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns and all and every Officers and Servants of the said East India Company of and from all and every or any losses damages or expenses which have accrued or happened or shall or may accrue or happen to them respectively or any or either of them from or by reason of any neglect or default of the said
in all or any of the matters aforesaid or [Obligor]
from or by reason of his insolvency or bankruptcy or that of his Executors or Administrators and do and shall make good the same to the said East India Company their Successors or Assigns or their Officers or Servants respectively then the above-written Bond shall be void otherwise the same shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

... ... ________________ [Signature of Obligor]

Signed Sealed and delivered by the above-named in the presence of

.... ________________
.... ________________ [Signature of Witnesses]

... ... ________________ [Signature of one Surety]

Signed Sealed and Delivered by the above-named in the presence of

.... ________________
.... ________________ [Signature of Witnesses]

... ... ________________ [Signature of other Surety]

Signed Sealed and Delivered by the above-named in the presence of

.... ________________
.... ________________ [Signature of Witnesses]

KNOW ALL MEN by these Presents that We of

[Name of Obligor]

[Name of Surety] and of

are held and firmly bound unto the East India Company in the sum of

2,000 [or for Subordinates 400] Company's Rupees

of lawful money of British India to be paid to the said East India Company or to their certain Attorney Successors or Assigns for which payment to be well and truly made. We bind ourselves our Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and each of us binds himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators separately firmly by these Presents sealed with our respective Seals. Dated this day of 185 .

[Name of Obligor] AND each of us the said ,

[Name of Surety] and

doth hereby for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators covenant and agree with the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns that if any dispute or difference shall arise or happen touching or concerning the subject matter of the above Written Bond or Obligation or any of the matters or things therein or in the condition thereof hereunder written contained the same shall and may be heard tried and determined in and by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

[Obligor] WHEREAS the above bounded

[Engineer or Upper Subordinate, as the case may b] hath entered into the service of the said East India Company in the

[Obligor] Establishment of the Public Works Department upon condition that he the said.

with one sufficient Surety should enter into such Bond as is above written with such condition as hereunder written.

[Obligor] NOW THE CONDITION of this Obligation is such that if the above-boundeu has always since the commencement of his said service hitherto well and truly paid and applied and if

[Obligor] the said his Executors or Administrators shall at all times hereafter well and truly pay and apply all such sums of money stores or other property as he has received or shall receive or as he has purchased or procured or shall purchase or procure in by or through the means or by virtue or in respect or under colour of the said service or appointment as aforesaid according to the true intent and purpose for which the said monies stores or other property have been or shall be and ought to be advanced issued paid or delivered purchased

[Obligor] or procured. AND if the said

has hitherto since the commencement of his said service rendered and if the

[Obligor] said his Executors or Administrators shall at all times hereafter render just and true accounts and particulars according to the requirements of the Chief Engineer or Chief Engineers under whose Orders he may have been placed or may be placed or other duly authorized person of the expense incurred in all Works done and all purchases made and materials and other things furnished by him or them or under his or their charge and shall from time to time account for and refund to the said East India Company the full amount of all such sums of money and the full value of all such stores materials or other property as may be justly disallowed or retrenched from his or their accounts or disbursements by the said Chief Engineer or other person or persons having authority from the said East India Company to audit his or their accounts or disbursements (the justice of such retrenchment or disallowance if appealed against within two months from their being made known to the

[Obligor] said his Executors or Administrators to be determined by the Governor General of India in Council or such person or persons as he shall nominate and appoint to determine the matter

[Obligor] of appeal) and if the said

his Executors or Administrators shall pay and satisfy to the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns the amount of such balance as on finally adjusting and settling the said accounts shall be found due from the

[Obligor] said his Executors or Admi-

[Obligor] nistrators and if the said

shall and do in all things honestly and faithfully and to the best of his ability discharge the duties devolving upon him in respect of the said service and his employment for the time being and obey and conform to all such lawful Orders as shall from time to time be given him by such person or persons as shall be authorized or entitled to give him Orders in his said employment. AND ALSO shall and do in all things well and truly conform to and abide by all such Rules and Regulations as have been or shall be made in respect of such

service and employment by the Governor General in Council or by any other competent authority and if the said [Obligor] shall not at any time absent himself from quit or neglect the service of the said East India Company or his employment for the time being without first giving six months' notice in writing to the Chief Engineer under whom he may be serving of his desire to quit the said service or in case the said [Obligor] shall be guilty of any breach neglect or unauthorized absence of or from duty or any breach neglect or disobedience of or to any Order Rule or Regulation as aforesaid the damages arising from which cannot be estimated by a mere computation of the amount of pecuniary loss sustained by the said East India Company or whereby the said East India Company shall not sustain any ascertainable pecuniary loss then if the said [Obligor] shall and do in respect of each and every such default or breach of or absence from duty or disobedience of Orders or neglect or omission to conform to or abide by such Rules and Regulations as aforesaid pay to the said East India Company the sum of Company's Rupees [Half the penalty] to be paid to and recovered by the said East India Company by way of liquidated damages and not of penalty and which sum the said [Obligor] hereby agrees and binds himself to pay to the said East India Company by way of ascertained and liquidated damages for and in respect of each and every such default breach absence disobedience neglect or omission as aforesaid. And also if the said [Obligor] and [Surety] their Heirs Executors and Administrators or some or one of them shall and do fully and effectually indemnify and save harmless the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns and all and every Officers and Servants of the said East India Company of and from all and every or any losses damages or expenses which have accrued or happened or shall or may accrue or happen to them respectively or any or either of them from or by reason of any neglect or default of the said [Obligor] in all or any of the matters aforesaid or from or by reason of his insolvency or bankruptcy or that of his Executors or Administrators or any of them and do and shall make good the same to the said East India Company their Successors or Assigns or their Officers or Servants respectively then the above written Bond shall be void otherwise the same shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

... ... ______________________ [Signature of Obligor]

Signed Sealed and Delivered by the above-named in the presence of

..... ______________________

...... ______________________ [Signature of Witnesses]

... ... ______________________ [Signature of Surety]

Signed Sealed and Delivered by the above-named in the presence of

...... ______________________

...... ______________________ [Signature of Witnesses]

The following copy of a Resolution of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, dated the 19th February, 1858, is published for general information :—

The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to approve of the suggestion of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, that the Accountants to the several Local Governments be vested with authority to grant, on the terms of the orders of this Government, dated 2nd October last, refund of the amounts of lost Bills of Exchange drawn by, or upon Treasuries, under their respective Governments, which were destroyed or suspended during the disturbances.

His honor in Council is also pleased to confirm the orders passed by the Financial Commissioner of the Punjab, for the refund of the money paid for the Drafts in the List that accompanies his letter, dated 26th November, 1857.

(Sd.) C. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to Govt. of India.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Assistant Secretary to Chief Commr.

NOTICE.

The following number of Logs of the Pangee Timber Agency, are available to the public at the Government depôts on the Chenab :—

1,564 logs, 20 feet and upwards in length.
3,876 logs, between 14 and 20 feet in length.
10,335 logs under 14 feet in length.

Applications to be made to Lieut. J. Peyton, Superintendent, Pangee Timber Agency.

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.
No. 4 OF 1858.

Much misconception appearing at present to prevail in regard to the application of the Government Order No. 4796 of 9th November, 1857, (*Vide Punjab Gazette* 23rd January last) prescribing a Form of Monthly Leave-Return to be submitted with Pay Abstracts, so as to ensure deductions being duly made, according to the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, from the salaries of Ministerial Officers absent on leave, the subjoined copy of an explanatory letter, issued from this office on the subject, is published for general information, and will, it is hoped, save future trouble and reference.

Officers concerned are required to see that their Monthly Leave-Returns be correctly drawn out, and the Sections (as lately revised) under which leave is granted, carefully cited therein.

W. J. RAYNOR,
Civil Auditor, Punjab.

Punjab Civil Auditor's Office,
Lahore,
The 18*th March* 1858.

Copy of a Letter No. 210, *dated* 18*th March,* 1858, *from Civil Auditor, Punjab, to Deputy Commissioner,*———

1.—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 452, dated 11th instant, and with advertence to your remarks on the Leave-Statement forwarded under cover thereof, to refer you to the Government Order, dated 9th November, 1857, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 23rd January last, from para. 5 of which you will see, that it is incumbent on my office now to enforce the provisions of the Amended Uncovenanted Absentee* Rules in regard to all cases of leave of absence allowed to Uncovenanted Servants (being Ministerial Officers) drawing more than 10 Rs. per mensem, and exhibited in the Monthly Statements of leave prescribed by the said order to accompany future Pay Abstracts; except when Heads of Offices may deem it necessary to make *larger* deductions in the case of Officers in receipt of less than 100 Rs., whose duties cannot otherwise be provided for without extra expense to Government.

* These Rules were originally intended to apply only to Uncovenanted Officers in the receipt of 100 and upwards; but by a Government Resolution of the 6th February, 1857, the spirit of the same was declared applicable also to those on less than 100.

2.—A reference to the Sections of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules of 22nd February, 1856, quoted in the margin, will shew you the extent of deductions required to be made from the salaries of Officers absent on *Sick Certificate,* or *Private Affairs*; and in all cases of *such* leave, recorded in the prescribed Statement, the adjustments will be made by me in this wise.

Section V. and Section VIII. (amended.)

Where no substitute is appointed, the Absentee will be allowed the *portion* of salary to which he is entitled according to the rules, and the remainder will be recovered to the credit of Government.

Where a substitute is appointed on *less* than the amount of deduction to which the Absentee *is liable*, the difference between the full salary of the appointment and the aggregate of the sum payable to the substitute and that allowable by the rules to the Absentee, will be recovered on the part of Government.

Where the Absentee draws no more than *his authorized allowance,* and the remainder of the salary attached to his post is paid *in full* to the substitute, no deduction can, or will, of course, be made: nor will cases in which the head of the Office, in accordance with the discretion allowed him, may impose upon the Absentee a larger deduction than that authorized by the Rules, the substitute receiving the remainder of the salary; or where a substitute may be appointed on full pay, the absentee drawing nothing, be interfered with by this office.

3.—The above remarks, you will observe, refer exclusively to leave on Medical Certicfiate* and Private Affairs. Privilege† leave is distinct, and when granted by the head of the Office, will be admitted without deduction of salary, provided the Absentee be entitled to the indulgence, and it involve no extra expense to the State.

* Sections V. and VIII, respectively, aforecited.
† Section VII. (amended.)

4—The only relaxation now admissible in the application of the Rules is, that authorized by the Government Resolution of 12th June, 1857, No. 2521, which empowers heads of Offices to grant, at their discretion, without loss of salary, and without such leave being taken into account as part of the two years allowed by Clause I of Section V., casual leave for a few days in cases of sickness: and leave so accorded should not be entered in the Monthly Statements.

CIRCULAR NO. $\frac{3}{20}$ of 1858.
To ALL DISTRICT* OFFICERS
in the Punjab and Cis and Trans-Sutlej States, including the Delhi Division.
Dated, Lahore, 15*th March,* 1858.

Sir,—To admit of the preparation of properly Classified Lists of Civil Pensioners within the territory under the Punjab Administration, the want of which at present is a serious evil, I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to draw out, and forward to this office, as soon after the 1st of May next as possible, four Statements in the Form annexed, of all Pensions and Charitable allowances payable from your Treasury, and further that you will consider these Returns* in the light of annual ones, and submit them regularly, in future, at the close of each official year.

I.—List of Stipends in Perpetuity.
II.—List of annual compensation for resumption of lands.
III.—List of Superannuation and Charitable Pensions.
IV.—List of Political Pensions.

* They are furnished by a few Districts, agreeably to a Circular issued by the Civil Auditor, N. W. P., but the order has never been generally attended to by District Officers.

2.—As it is highly de-

* For Lahore.—Extra Assistant in charge Pension Pay Office.

sirable, with a view to ensure uniformity, and at the same time facilitate reference in checking the Bills submitted for audit, that the entries in my new Pension Registers for the ensuing official year 1858-59 should be arranged and classified according to the Returns now called for, and I intend carrying out this plan, it will be necessary for you, from, and after, the 1st May, 1858, to observe the same order and classification in the preparation of your monthly Abstracts, which should be distinct for each class of Pensions agreeably to the prescribed Forms; excepting that, instead of the two classes of Pensions (Superannuation and Charitable) comprised in List No. III. being drawn in one Abstract, there should be a separate Abstract for each class respectively.

3.—The Pensions chargeable to the Bengal Presidency should also, as heretofore, be drawn in separate Bills.

4.—In conclusion, I would point out, with reference to the foregoing remarks, that I shall be unable to audit your Pension Abstracts for May next and subsequent months, until the receipt in my office of the Classified Lists required hereby.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedt. servant,
W. J. RAYNOR,
Civil Auditor, Punjab.

Punjab Civil Auditor's Office,
Lahore,
The 15th March, 1858.

No. I.

LIST OF STIPENDS granted in Perpetuity, in the District of ______________ on the 1st May, 1858.

1	2	3		4
Date of the order granting the Pension.	*Names of Pensioners.	Amount of Pension per annum.		Information of the grounds on which each of the Pensions was granted.
	Total Co.'s Rs....			

* Should be entered in Alphabetical order, in all the Lists.

Note.—This List should contain Pensions in perpetuity, on whatever account granted. All such as are of a doubtful character, should be excluded from this List and included in List No. 3 or 4, so as to ensure that, on the occurrence of a lapse, the allowance be not continued to heirs, or successors, without the express sanction of Government. The remarks in Column 4 should be concise, but clear: a sample will be found in List No. III.

No. II.

LIST OF ANNUAL Compensation made for Resumption, in the District of ____________________, on the 1st May, 1858.

1	2	3			4
Date of the order granting the Pension.	Names of Pensioners.	Amount of Pension per annum.			Information of the grounds on which each of the Pensions was granted.
	Total Co.'s Rs....				

Note.—This List should contain all Revenue Pensions granted on account of lands resumed.

No. III.

LIST OF LIFE PENSIONS granted on State considerations, in the District of ________________, on the 1st May, 1858.

1	2	3			4.
Date of the order granting the Pension.	Names of Pensioners.	Amount of Pension per annum.			Information of the grounds on which each of the Pensions was granted.
	SUPERANNUATION PENSIONS.				
	Detail.				
	Total, Superannuation Pensions, Co.'s Rs.,........				
	CHARITABLE PENSIONS.				
	Detail.				
		00	0	0	In lieu of Dhurmurth grants enjoyed under the late Durbar.
		00	0	0	
		00	0	0	These parties took part in the rebellion of 1849, in consequence of which their Jageers were confiscated, and the provision herein noted made for them.
		00	0	0	
	Total, Charitable Pensions, Co.'s Rs.,				
	Grand Total Co.'s Rs.,				

Note.—This List should contain all Superannuation and Charitable Pensions granted by Government for the life time of the present recipients, except such as come expressly under the following heading No. IV. ; and the details of the two Classes of Pensions should be entered separately, as shewn in the body of the Form.

No. IV.

LIST OF PENSIONS awarded for Political Service, in the District of ______________, on the 1st May, 1858.

1	2	3	4
Date of the order granting the Pension.	Names of Pensioners.	Amount of Pension per annum.	Information of the grounds on which each of the Pensions was granted.
	Total C.'s Rupees,		

Note.—This List should contain all Pensions awarded for Political Service rendered to the State, and granted for life.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 13TH MARCH, 1858.

8TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 252.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Nehal Sing, ...	Subadar,	1st January, 1858,	To complete the Establishment.
Havildars.			
Tummun, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	
Kutteh Baz Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Kunyah Sing, ...	ditto,	ditto,	
Jodh Sing,....................	ditto,	ditto.	

LAHORE, 15TH MARCH, 1858.

4TH SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 253.—A draft of 50 Mahomedans will be made from the Jhelum Levy, to this Regiment.

LAHORE, 16TH MARCH, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 254.—Ressaldar Asoodoolah Khan, is permitted to resign the service.

2ND BELOOCH BATTALION.

No 255.—The Dehra Ghazee Khan Station Order of the 5th March by Major Hough, Commanding, directing Assistant Surgeon J. Bain, M. D., 2nd Belooch Battalion, to afford medical aid to the Jail and Civil Establishment, in addition to his other duties, and in room of Assistant Surgeon W. Delpratt, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, is confirmed.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 256.—Resaldar Chuttur Sing and Naib Ressaldar Mean Jan Beg, are discharged the service; their names will be struck off the Rolls of the Regiment, from the respective dates on which they proceeded on leave.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No 257.—Lieut. D. Mainwaring, 1st Bombay Fusiliers, is appointed to officiate as 2nd in Command, *vice* Lieut. W. Davison, proceeded to Europe, on medical certificate.

3RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 258.—Captain B. Henderson, from the 15th April till the 15th June, to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, on medical certificate, under the new Rules.

No. 3 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 259.—Lieut. T. E. Hughes, doing duty with the Battery, will officiate as Commandant, during the absence of Captain R. Mecham, or until further orders.

LAHORE, 17TH MARCH, 1858.

ALLAHABAD POLICE HORSE.

No. 260.—Native Doctor Hurree Kisson, placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, by the Major General Commanding the Lahore Division, is attached to the Allahabad Police Horse, with effect from the 9th March, 1858.

LAHORE, 18TH MARCH, 1858.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 261.—In excess of the sanctioned Establishment of Sowars, the Commanding Officer is authorized to entertain 20 dismounted men; this order to have retrospective effect.

HOSHEARPOOR LEVY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 262.—Havildar Syja Sing, to be Jemadar, Naicks Ditta and Humeera, to be Havildars, and Sepoy Mahomed Buksh, to be Naick, from the 2nd Police Battalion.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 263.

Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Naib Ressaldar.			
Dull Sing,...	Ressaidar,	8th Dec., 1857,	Ressaidar Chutter Sing, struck off.

LAHORE, 19TH MARCH, 1858.

9TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 264.—Under orders of the Government of India, a second Police Battalion, for the Delhi Territory, will be formed out of the Corps of Burkundazes already serving there, under the Command of Lieut. Hayley, Lieut. of Police.

The Battalion will be designated the 9th Battalion of Punjab Police, and will, in organization, strength, pay, &c., correspond in all respects with the existing Battalions.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 265.—Naib Ressaldars Alleemust Khan and Nadir Shah Khan, are discharged the service; their names will be struck off the Rolls of the Rement, from the date of their proceeding on leave.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 266.—The Detachment Order of the 28th January, 1858, by Captain Hockin, Commanding, directing Assisting Surgeon J. Brake, to afford medical aid to No. 7 Light Field Battery, is confirmed.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secretary.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Dept., No. 495-6, dated 19th March, 1858.

Lieut.-Col. R. C. Lawrence assumed charge of the offices of Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, and Superintendent of Cantonment Police in the Punjab, on the 17th instant.

R. TEMPLE,

Secretary.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept" No. 502 3, dated 25th March, 1858

Lieut. J. D. Ferris, Assistant Commissioner of Khangurh, has obtained two months' privilege leave from the 14th of March, 1858, or from such date as he may avail himself of the same.

TRANSFERS.

Genl. Dept., No. 505, A. D., dated 23d March, 1858.

Mr. J. F. D. Inglis, Deputy Commissioner, from the Seealkote to the Jhelum District.

Genl. Dept., No. 512 4, dated 22nd March, 1858.

Captain B. T. Reid, Deputy Commissioner, from the Leia, to the Googaira District, from the date of Major Marsden's departure.

APPOINTMENTS.

Consequent on the transfer of Lieut. Colonel

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PUNJAB INFANTRY

Genl. Dept., No. 511 A., dated 22[illegible] March, 1858.

[illegible] charge [illegible] District, to another appointment, the following temporary appointments are made in that District :—

Mr. J. S. Campbell to take charge of the District, in addition to his present duties in the Rohtuck District.

Captain Dwyer to continue to perform the duties of a Civil Assistant, with special powers.

Extra Assistant Pertab Singh, late of the Oude Commission, to do duty in the Jhujjur District.

Genl. Dept. No. 514 A, dated 22nd March, 1856.

Mr. E. A. Prinsep is re-appointed to the Punjab Commission, as a 2nd Class Deputy Commissioner, and is posted to the Seealkote District, where he will also conduct the Settlement operations in addition to his duties, as Deputy Commissioner.

EDWARD PASKE,

Asst. Secretary to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

Under the present Financial circumstances of the Punjab, the Chief Commissioner has much satisfaction in directing that, with the exception of the disarmed Corps, all other establishments, Civil and Military, shall receive their salaries for February and March, as soon after the 1st of April next, as Bills can be audited; and that in future they be paid monthly.

R. TEMPLE,

Secretary.

Camp Kurnal,
23rd March, 1858.

From THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab*,
To THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
*of*________________________

Dated Lahore, 22nd March, 1858.

Circular No. 10.

Captain F. T. Tombs, Field Pay Master, Head Quarters Camp.
Captain A. D. Dickens, in charge Military Chest, Moveable Column.
Lieutenant S. Cary, in charge Military Chest, with Brigadier Frank's Column.
Major C. W. Sibly, (succeeded by Captain J. B. Spurgeon) in charge Military Chest, Alumbagh.
Lieutenant R. H. M. Atkins, in charge Military Chest, Head Quarters Camp.
Captain R. C. Tytler, in charge Military Chest, Delhi Field Force.

SIR,—The Field Pay Offices, or Military Chests noted on the margin, having been organized within the past few months, I have the honor, under direction of the Accountant General to the Government of India, in the Military Department, to request that you will be good enough to honor all Drafts that may be drawn upon your Treasury by the Officers in question, and account for them in your Treasury Accounts in the same manner, as Drafts drawn by Divisional Pay Masters, *i. e.*, under the head "By Bills payable of the Military Department."

I have, &c.,
J. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office,
Lahore, the 22nd March, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN TH[illegible] ice. [illegible]TARY DEPARTMENT. SU[illegible]d the 9 [illegible]ONFIRMA- [illegible] Punjab Police, and will, in organ[illegible] correspond in all re[illegible]

LAHORE, 20TH MARCH, 1858.

15TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 267.—Assistant Surgeon St. George W. Tucker, from this Regiment to the 16th Punjab Infantry; and Assistant Surgeon G. H. Daly, from the latter to the former Corps.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 268.—Lieutenant and officiating 2nd in Command W. Davison, 1st Bengal Fusiliers, from the 3rd February to the 3rd April, 1858, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate, under the new Regulations.

LAHORE, 21ST MARCH, 1858.

9TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 269.—Ressaldar MuthraDoss, to be Native Commandant, from the 5th Punjab Cavalry

LAHORE, 22ND MARCH, 1858.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 270.—Doorjun Sing Sowar, from the 17th Irregular Cavalry, with effect from the 1st January, 1858.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 271.—Jemadar Kootub Deen, from the 3rd Police Battalion, *vice* Jemadar Ameer Bux, with effect from the 1st February, 1858.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 272.—Native Doctor Azim Ally Khan, from the 17th Punjab Infantry, with effect from the 22nd October, 1857.

12TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 273.—The Peshawur Division Order of the 4th March, 1858, by Major General S. Cotton, Commanding, appointing Lieut. J. Liston, 21st Regiment Native Infantry, to do duty with the 12th Punjab Infantry, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 23RD MARCH, 1858.

5TH POLICE BATTALION.

No. 274.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Havildars.			
Daba Sing,....................	Jemadar,	30th Dec., 1857.,	Jemadar Jewun Sing, promoted.
Rahim Buksh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	Jemadar Mahtab Sing, promoted.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 275.—A draft of 60 Dogras and Sikhs is directed from the Lahore Recruit Depôt.

10TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 276.—Lieutenant J. A. Brereton, 33rd Native Infantry, is appointed to do duty.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

ERRATUM.

No. 277.—Punjab Order No. 217, dated 4th March, 1858, directing Jemadar Secunder Shah, to be struck off the rolls of the regiment. For 5th Punjab *Infantry,* read 5th Punjab *Cavalry.*

1ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 278.—Lieut. A. J. Shuldham, 20th N. I., 2nd in Command, from the 1st March to the 31st Oct., 1858, to remain at Landour, on Medical Certificate in extension of leave granted by Punjab Order No. 550 of the 23rd December last.

NO. 2 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

TRANSFER.

No. 279.—Sepoy Basawa Sing, (No. 1153) from 6th Punjab Infantry, with effect from the 1st instant.

LAHORE DEPOT HOSPITAL.

No. 280.—The entertainment of a Dresser and Compounder, in addition to the present Hospital Establishment, is sanctioned.

LAHORE, 26TH MARCH, 1858.

PUNJAB ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY REGIMENTS.

No. 281.—Punjab Order No. 145, of 4th February last, notifying an increased rate of pay of Jemadars of the Artillery and Infantry of the Punjab Irregular Force, will have effect from the 12th October, 1857, the date of Government sanction. Any sums drawn since that date, as difference between Police, or Durbar, and the previous rates of pay of Jemadars of the Punjab Artillery and Infantry, will be deducted when arrears of the increased pay are drawn in Pay Abstracts under sanction of the Government Order.

12TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 282.—Soobadar Baisaka Singh, to act as Native Adjutant, temporarily, with effect from the 1st February, 1858.

Jemadar Merhae Singh, having become a Mahomedan and changed his name, will, in future, be borne on the rolls as Emam Deen.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

ERRATUM.—In Punjab Orders, dated 5th August, 1857, (*Punjab Gazette, page* 2), among the appointments to the 17th Punjab Infantry, for *Ensign* A. W. Cripps, read Lieutenant A. W. Cripps.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secretary.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT

LEAVE.

P. W. Dept., No. 405-6, dated 29th March, 1858.

Mr. Sub-Engineer J. Wallace, Assistant Executive Officer, Jullundur Division of Public Works, from the 16th March to the 1st April, 1858, on medical certificate.

P. W. Dept., No. 413-4, dated 30th March, 1858.

Mr. Assistant Engineer H. Garbett, attached to the Baree Doab Canal, for one month, from the 17th January, 1858, on urgent private affairs.

Revenue Department, No. 244-5, dated 30th March, 1858.

Mr. C. C. Smyth, Deputy Collector of Salt Revenue, Khewra Division, for two months, on medical certificate, from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

General Dept., No. 551-2, dated 30th March, 1858.

Mr. F. H. Cooper, Deputy Commissioner of Umritsur, has obtained 15 days' privilege leave, from the 15th April, 1858, or from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

POWERS.

Judicial Dept., No. 183, dated 30th March 1858.

Lieutenant J. B. Smyly, Assistant Commissioner of Dehra Ismael Khan, is invested with the full powers of a Magistrate and Collector.

DISMISSAL.

General Dept., No. 563-5. dated 31st March, 1858.

Mirza Hyder Beg, late Thanahdar of Kuheree in the Dehra Ismael Khan District, dismissed and imprisoned for torture, is proscribed from further employment in the Punjab.

NOTICE.

Revenue Department, No. 248 9, dated 30th March, 1858.

The Chief Commissioner has authorized the removal of the Civil Treasury of the Dehra Ismael Khan District, from Dehra Ismael Khan to Bunnoo.

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

CIRCULAR.
No. 32.

From

D. F. McLEOD, ESQUIRE,
Financial Commissioner for the Punjab.

To

ALL DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS
in the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 23rd March, 1858.

Revenue. (Treasury).

SIR,—In continuation of my Circular No. 2, dated 6th January, 1858, I have the honor to state, that all occasion for further subscriptions to the 6 per cent loan has now ceased, and I request accordingly that no further payments, on account of it, may now be received into your Treasury.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commissioner for the Punjab.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 27TH MARCH, 1858.

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No 283.—The Battery Order of the 14th March, 1858, by Lieut. Cumberland, Commanding, appointing Sergeant H. Cronmire, to act as Laboratory man during the annual practice, is confirmed.

1ST PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 284.—Jemadar Mahomed Alli Khan is dismissed the service, and will be paid up and discharged from the date of receipt of this order, at the Head Quarters of the Regiment.

10TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 285.—Havildar Bulbeer, from the Corps of Guides, to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th March, 1858.

No. 3, PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 286.—Punjab Order No. 259, dated 16th March, appointing Lieut. Hughes, to officiate as Commandant, will have effect from the 1st March, 1858.

LAHORE, 1ST APRIL, 1858.

3RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 287.—The 2 month's leave of absence, on medical certificate, granted to Captain B. Henderson, in Punjab Order No. 258, dated 16th March, 1858, will be considered as commencing from the date on which that Officer may avail himself of the leave.

19TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 288.—Havildar Ameer Shah, from No. 2 Punjab Light Field Battery, to be Jemadar.

10TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 289.—Assistant Surgeon G. Farrell, F. R. C. S., is appointed to the medical charge.

15TH (PIONEER REGIMENT) PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 290.—Sunt Sing to be Subadar from the 18th March, 1858, to complete the Establishment.

No. 291.—All extra Hospital and Marching Establishments with this Corps, are to be paid up and discharged from the 27th March, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No 292.—The Regimental Order of the 12th March, 1858, by Major Wilde, Commanding, appointing Lieut. Willoughby, doing duty, to act as Adjutant in the room of Lieut. and Acting Adjutant O. Smith, incapacitated from wounds received in action, is confirmed.

PUNJAB MOUNTED POLICE.

LAHORE DIVISION.

No. 293.—PROMOTION.

Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Mucksoodun-Sing, ...	Ressaldar, ...	15th March, 1858,	Ressaldar Bhurkut Allee Khan, transferred.

PUNJAB IRREGULAR FORCE.

No. 294.—With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the following relief is directed :—

The 4th Seikh Infantry, by Wings, from Delhi to Huzara. The 1st Wing will march as soon as practicable after receipt of this order ; the 2nd wing, on being relieved by a Wing of the 13th Punjab Infantry.

The 12th Punjab Infantry, by Wings, from Hurreepoor to Rawulpindee. The 1st Wing will march as soon after the receipt of this order as practicable ; the 2nd Wing, on being relieved by a Wing of the 4th Seikh Infantry.

The 13th Punjab Infantry, by Wings, from Umballa to Delhi. The 1st Wing, will march as soon after receipt of this order as practicable ; the 2nd Wing on being relieved by a Wing of the 16th Punjab Infantry.

The 16th Punjab Infantry, by Wings, from Jullundur to Umballa. The 1st Wing will march as soon after the receipt of this order as practicable ; the 2nd Wing on being relieved by a Wing of the 19th Punjab Infantry.

The 19th Punjab Infantry, by Wings, from Rawul Pindee to Jullundur. The 1st Wing will march as soon after receipt of this order as practicable ; the 2nd Wing on being relieved by a Wing of the 12th Punjab Infantry.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 295.—Havildar Munsa Ram, from No. 1 Punjab Light Field Battery, to be Jemadar.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secretary.

C. T. McCarthy.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

General Dept., No. 583-7 dated 5th April, 1858.

The Government of India have been pleased to make the following promotions in the Punjab Commission :—

To be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class.

Major F. E. Voyle.

To be Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class.

Mr. E. A. Prinsep.

To be Deputy Commissioners, 3rd Class.

Captain S. F. Graham.
Captain H. W. Coxe.

To be Assistant Commissioners, 1st Class.

Lieut. S. S. Boulderson.
Mr. R. F. Saunders.
Captain T. W. Mercer.

To be Assistant Commissioners, 2nd Class.

Captain W. Paske.
Lieut. J. B. Smyley.

TRANSFERS.

General Dept., No. 592-3, dated 5th April, 1858.

Lieutenant J. S. Tighe, Assistant Commissioner, from the Goojranwalla, to the Mooltan District, as a temporary arrangement.

General Dept., No. 592 A-C, dated 7th April, 1858.

Mr. D. Simson, Deputy Commissioner, from the Loodhiana, to the Hoshyarpore District.

General Dept., No. 604, dated 7th April, 1858.

Mr. G. Knox, Extra Assistant Commissioner, from the Jullundur District to Kooloo.

General Dept., No. 619, dated 10th April, 1858.

Extra Assistant Mootee Lall, from the Settlement Department, to the Shahpore District, for employment on general duties.

APPOINTMENTS.

General Dept., No. 598 D-F., dated 7th April, 1858.

Mr. S. S. Hogg, Assistant Commissioner of Jullundur, to take charge of the Loodhiana District, from Mr. D. Simson.

Mr. R. E. Egerton, Deputy Commissioner, is posted to the Lahore District, as a permanent arrangement.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. S. Campbell, to be a Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, in charge of the Jhujjur District, in the Delhi Division.

LEAVE.

General Dept., No. 600 2, dated 7th April, 1858.

Lieutenant J. Havelock, Assistant Commissioner of Jhelum, for 6 weeks, from the date of his departure, to enable him to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for one year's furlough to Europe, on urgent private affairs.

DISMISSAL.

General Dept., No. 580, dated 5th April, 1858.

Fakeerchund, late Sub-Overseer, Lower Sirhind Division of Public Works, dismissed for using treasonable language, is proscribed from further employment in the Punjab.

EDWARD PASKE,

Assistant Secretary to Chief Commr.

The following Circular in the Public Works Department, is published for general information :—

CIRCULAR.

No. 1262.

From CAPTAIN H. YULE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,

To SIR J. LAWRENCE, G. C. B.,

Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

Dated Fort William, the 6th March, 1858.

Public Works Department, Public.

SIR,—I am directed by His Honor the President in Council to forward, for adoption, the

accompanying Form of Memorandum of Agreement, relative to the deposit of Government Promissory Notes as Security, to be executed by Civil Engineers and Subordinates accepting employment under Government in the Public Works Department, and prepared in accordance with Paragraph 74 of this Department, Notification No. 117, dated the 17th June, 1856.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Signed) H. YULE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MEMORANDUM of Agreement between
[Name.] of
and the East India Company the day of 185
WHEREAS of
[Name.]
hath entered into the service of the East India Company in the
[Engineer or Upper Subordinate, as the case may be.] Establishment of the Public Works Department upon condition that he the said
[Name.] do deposit with the said East India Company Promissory Notes of the Government of India for Company's Rupees
2000, [or for Subordinates, 400.] specified below upon the conditions hereinafter specified. And whereas the said
[Name.] hath on this day deposited with the East India Company the several Notes of the East India Company specified below for the sum of Company's Rupees
2000, [or for Subordinates, 400.] Now the said
[Name.] doth hereby agree with the said East India Company that the said East India Company shall hold and retain and if necessary shall be at liberty to sell and dispose of the Promissory Notes upon the following conditions that is to say :—That if the said
[Name.] has always since the commencement of his said service hitherto well and truly paid and applied and if the said
[Name.] his Executors or Administrators shall at all times hereafter well and truly pay and apply all such sums of money stores or other property as he has received or shall receive or has purchased or procured or shall purchase or procure in by or through the means or by virtue or under colour of the said service or appointment as aforesaid according to the true intent and purpose for which the said monies stores or other property have been or shall be and ought to be advanced issued paid or delivered purchased or procured and if the said
[Name.] has hitherto since the commencement of his said service rendered and if the said
[Name.] his Executors or Administrators shall at all times hereafter render just and true accounts and particulars according to the requirements of the Chief Engineer or Chief Engineers under whose Orders he may have been placed or may be placed or other duly authorized person of the expense heretofore or hereafter incurred in all Works done and all purchases made and materials and other things furnished by him or them or under his or their charge and shall from time to time account for and refund to the said East India Company the full amount of all such sums of money and the full value of all such stores materials and other property as may be justly disallowed or retrenched from his or their accounts or disbursements by the said Chief Engineer or other the person or persons having authority from the said East India Company to audit his or their accounts or disbursements (the justice of such retrenchment or disallowance if appealed against within two months from their being made known to the said
[Name.] his Executors or Administrators, to be determined by the Governor General of India in Council or such person or persons as he shall nominate and appoint to determine the matter of appeal and if the said
[Name.] his Executors or Administrators shall pay and satisfy to the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns the amount of such balance as on finally adjusting and settling the said accounts shall be found due from the said
[Name.] his Executors or Administrators and if the said
[Name.] shall and do in all things honestly and faithfully and to the best of his ability discharge the duties devolving upon him in respect of the said service and his employment for the time being and obey and conform to all such lawful Orders as shall from time to time be given him by such person or persons as shall be authorized or entitled to give him Orders in his said employment and also shall and do in all things well and truly conform to and abide by all such Rules and Regulations as have been or shall be made in respect of such service and employment by the Governor General in Coun-

cil or by any other competent authority and if the said
shall not at any time absent himself [Name.]
from quit or neglect the service of the said East India Company, or his employment for the time being without first giving six months' notice in writing to the Chief Engineer under whom he may be serving of his desire to quit the said service or in case the said [Name.]
shall be guilty of any breach or neglect or absence of or from duty or any disobedience to or neglect of Orders Rules or Regulations as aforesaid the damages arising from which breach disobedience or neglect cannot be estimated by the amount of pecuniary loss sustained by the East India Company or whereby the said East India Company shall not susrain any ascertainable pecuniary loss then if the said [Name]
shall and do in respect of each and every such default breach or absence disobedience or neglect pay to the said East India Company the sum of Company's Rupees [Amount of the Notes deposited.]
to be paid to and recovered by the said East India Company by way of liquidated damages and not of penalty and which sum the said [Name]
hereby agrees and binds himself to pay to the said East India Company by way of ascertained and liquidated damages for and in respect of each and every such default breach absence disobedience neglect or omission as aforesaid and also if the said [Name.]
and his Heirs Executors aud Administrators or some or one of them shall and do at all times hereafter fully and effectually indemnify and save harmless the said East India Company their Successors and Assigns and all and every Officers and Servants of the said East India Company of and from all and every or any losses damages or expenses which have accrued or happened or shall or may accure or happen to them respectively or any or either of them from or by of any neglect or default of the said in all or any [Name.]
of the matters aforesaid or from or by reason of his insolvency or bankruptcy or that his Executors or Administrators and do and shall make good the same to the said East India Company their Successors or Assigns or their Officers or Servants respectively then the above-mentioned Securities shall be returned to the said
and the interest accruing thereon shall in the mean time be paid [Name]
to him as the same shall be received by the said East India Company. But in case default shall be made by the said [Name]
his Executors or Administrators in any of the particulars aforesaid then it shall be lawful for the said East India Company to sell the said Promissory Notes and to apply the proceeds thereof in and towards the liquidation of the liability of the said [Name.]
in respect of such default as aforesaid.

Signed Sealed and Delivered by the above-named in the presence of ———— [Signature of Depositor.]

———— ———— [Signature of Witnesses]

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

[Here specify the Notes deposited]

NOTICE.

The public are hereby informed, that the Chief Commissioner has authorized the establishment of a Checkbar at Dhurmpore on the Hindostan and Thibet Road, between Dugshae and Subathoo.

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secretary to Chief Commr.

The following Government Circular in the Judicial Department (N. W. P.), is published for general information :—

Circular No. 370 *of* 1858.
From E. C. BAYLEY, ESQ.,
Offg. Deputy Secy. to Govt. N. W. P.,
To CHIEF COMMISSIONER,
Punjab.
Dated Allahabad, the 12th March, 1858.

Judl. Dept. Criml.

SIR,—I am directed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, to forward for your information and guidance, and that of the local Officers in your division, the annexed copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Home

Department, with the Governor General, dated 27th February, 1858, No. 48, relative to the payment, at the rate of 5 per cent. of remuneration to parties unconnected with the Civil Administration of the country, who may be instrumental in the recovery of confiscated property.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt. Servant,
(Sd.) E. C. BAYLEY,
Offg. Depy. Secy. to Govt. N. W. P.

COPY.
No. 48 of 1858.

From the Secretary *to* Govt. *of* India, *with the Governor General,*
To the Secretary *to* Govt., N. W. P.
Dated Camp Allahabad, 27th February, 1858.

Home Dept.

Sir,—With reference to the letter from the Secretary to Government, Central Provinces, dated 7th January last, No. 145, I am directed to state that, in the opinion of the Governor General, it is not only fair but expedient that persons who may recover, or may give information, leading to the recovery of confiscated property, which, but for the exertions of those persons, would have remained undiscovered, should be remunerated, and the rate of 5 per cent. is equitable; it being understood that such percentage shall cover all expenses that may be incurred by the parties in the recovery of the said property.

2. But at the same time, it appears to His Lordship proper that, all Officers engaged in the Civil Administration of the Country, as Judges, Magistrates, and their Assistants Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners, Assistant and Extra-Assistant Commissioners, whether Native or European, should not be entitled to the benefit of this Rule. It is the duty of all those Officers to protect the interests of the Government, and to facilitate the seizure of confiscated property wherever it may be found, and no special remuneration should be, or, it is to be hoped, is required to induce those Officers to discharge their proper duty.

I have, &c.,
(Sd.) G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy to the Govt. of India, with the Gevernor General.

True copy.
(Sd.) E. C. BAYLEY,
Offg. Depy. Secy. to Govt. N. W. P.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Government Circular in the Foreign Department, is published for general information :—

No 1188.

From
THE OFFG. UNDER-SECY. TO THE *Government of India,*
To
THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF *Punjab.*
Dated Fort William, the 19th March, 1858.

Foreign Department.

Sir,—In continuation of Circular, dated 8th February, No. 670, regarding the appointment of Medical Officers to the charge of Jails I am directed to transmit, for your information and guidance, copy of a letter No. 1187 this day written to the Commissioner of Nagpore on the subject.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.
Fort William,
The 19th March, 1858.

No. 1187.

From
THE OFFG. UNDER-SECY. TO THE *Government of India,*
To
THE COMMISSIONER OF NAGPORE.
Dated Fort William, the 19th March, 1858.

Foreign Department.

Sir,—In reply to your letter, dated the 21st February, No. 21, respecting Medical Officers appointed to the charge of Jails, I am directed to state, that the orders of the 8th idem, apply to all Officers Covenanted and Uncovenanted, who have not passed the prescribed colloquial examination, but in the case of present incumbents, the Hon'ble the President in Council directs that they be allowed 12 months to pass.

2.—When there is no passed Officer at a station, the case should be reported to Government.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Offg. Under-Secy. to Govt. of India.
Fort William,
The 19th March, 1858.

(True copy.)
EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.
No. 5 of 1858.

The details of stages prescribed by my Notification, dated 28th August, published at page 22 of the *Punjab Gazette* of the 5th September last, to accompany tentage and travelling allowance Bills, being required for record in this office, it is requested that such details be drawn out separately in future, and not entered, as is now frequently done, on the Bill itself, which has to be returned after audit to the transmitting Officer.

Bills, prepared at variance with the above instructions, will be returned for revision.

W. J. RAYNOR,
Civil Auditor, Punjab.
Punjab Civil Auditor's Office,
Lahore,
The 8th April, 1858.

CIRCULAR No. 16.
No. of 1857-58.

From
THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,
To
THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF

Dated Lahore, 7th April, 1858.

Sir,—Under instructions from the Accountant General to the Government of India, No. 66, dated 29th ultimo, and in continuation of my Circular No. 11, dated 27th idem, I have the honor to communicate an Amended Rule, which you

are requested to substitute in lieu of para. 57, of the pamphlet on Bills of Exchange :—

AMENDED RULE.

"The Bill Books must be kept in the Treasury under the key of the Collector or other Officer in charge of the Treasury, who will give out the books required for use daily to the Head Clerk or other trustworthy subordinate, and on being returned, before the office closes, the Treasury Officer should satisfy himself that none of the forms have been abstracted nor used or destroyed without his sanction.

"N. B. The treasury Officer's initials being put to the Check margins of Bills as they are signed by him, and a Memo. book kept of those issued, spoiled, &c., it will be sufficient for him before closing to see that the series of printed numbers in the forms remaining in the books is unbroken."

You will be good enough to acknowledge the receipt of this letter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) J. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office,
Lahore,
The 7th April, 1858.

NOTICE.

The Post Offices and Mail Lines noted below, have been re-opened in the N. W. P. :—

Post Offices.

Onow,	near	Lucknow.
Lucknow,	in	Oude.
Bilhour,	in	Cawnpore Division.
Lullutpore,		Saugor Division.
Dummow,		Saugor Division.
Jhansi,		Saugor Division.
Jokhye,		Saugor Division.

Mail Lines.

Bhelsa,	to	Saugor.
Ditto,	to	Hoshungabad.
Dummow,	to	Jokhye.
Ditto,	to	Saugor.
Gwalior,	to	Jhansi.
Seepree,	to	Jhansi.
Lucknow,	to	Cawnpore.

E. PATON,

Post Master General,
N. W. Provinces.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 5TH APRIL, 1858.

4TH SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 296.—Assistant Surgeon J. Wilson, from the 21st Punjab Infantry, in the room of Assistant Surgeon W. Peskett, appointed to another charge.

LAHORE, 6TH APRIL, 1858.

MOOLTANEE HORSE.

No. 297.—With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Lieut. A. Webster, 3rd Light Cavalry, is appointed to do duty with the Mooltanee Horse, under Captain Lind.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 298.—Naib Ressaldar Futteh Shere Khan is permitted to resign the service, from the 26th February, 1858.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 299.—Duffadar Mowla Daud Khan, to be Jemadar, in the room of Jemadar Huq Newaz Khan, deceased.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 300.—The Regimental Order of the 4th February, 1858, by Captain A. Macpherson, Commanding, appointing Lieut. A. Gibson, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant, in the room of Lieutenant and Adjutant C. E. Bates, incapacitated from sickness, is confirmed, with effect from the 1st idem.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 301.—Lieut. E. F. Kemp, 61st Native Infantry, is appointed to do duty.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 302.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Soodh Sing, ...	Subadar, ...	1st of April, 1858,	To complete the Establishment.
Lall Shah, ...	do.,	ditto,	
Havildar.			
Jeymul Sing, ...	do.,	ditto,	

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 303.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Matabah,..	Subadar, ..	13th Dec., 1857,	Subadar Moolahdad Khan, deceased
Havildars.			
Sabah,	Jemadar, ..	10th Dec., 1857,	Jemadar Girwur Sing, deceased.
Luchmun Sing,	do., ..	13th Dec., 1857,	Jemadar Matabah, promoted.

4TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 304.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Naib Ressaldar.			
Bahadoor Sing,..	Resaidar, ..	8th Jany., 1858,	Resaidar Wasil Khan, deceased.
Jemadars.			
Huree Sing, ...	Naib Ressaldar,	do.,	Naib Ressaldar Bahadoor Sing, promoted.
Jan Baz Khan, ...	Jemadar, ..	do.,	Jemadar Hurree Sing, promoted.
Kote Duffadar.			
Gholam Mahomed Khan,	do.,	4th July, 1857,	Jemadar Mahomed Akram, promoted.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 305.—Sepoy Jowalla Sing, from the 21st Punjab Infantry.

LAHORE, 8TH APRIL, 1858.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 306.—Lieut. T. N. Walker, late 60th N. I., is appointed to do duty as a Supernumerary.

4TH SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 307.—Lieut. G. F. Smith, 6th Light Cavalry, is appointed to do duty.

4TH POLICE BATTALION.

No. 308.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Ram Kissen, ...	Subadar,	26th March, 1858,	To fill existing vacancies.
Ram Doss, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Havildars.			
Ala Singh,..	Jemadar,	Ditto,	
Sooba, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Bootah, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Goolab Singh, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Seetaram, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Jowala Singh, ...	Ditto,	Ditto,	

LAHORE, 9TH APRIL, 1858.

RAJAH JOWAHIR SING'S CONTINGENT.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 309.—Lieut. H. James, officiating Adjutant, for six months, from the 15th March to the 15th September, to visit Simla on medical certificate, under the new Rules.

No. 310.—Lieut. G. F. Graham, 5th Native Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Adjutant, during the absence on medical certificate, of Lieutenant James.

4TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

ERRATUM.

Punjab Order No. 254, dated 16th March, 1858.
For *Ressaldar* Assoodoolah Khan.
Read *Naib Ressaldar* Assoodoolah Khan.

W. WYLD,
Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

Francis Mendes.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Mr. Assistant Engineer P. Lennox has obtained extension of leave for one month, from the 25th March, 1858, on medical certificate.

P. W. Department No. 509-10 dated 14th April, 1858.

Extra Assistant Shahaboodeen, attached to the Googaira District, has obtained indulgence leave for one month and twenty days, from the 1st July, 1858.

Genl. Dept. No. 664-5 dated 15th April, 1858.

Mr. R. W. Thomas, Assistant Commissioner at Kussoor, has obtained three months' privilege leave from the 1st May, 1858.

Genl. Dept. No. 691-2, dated 16th April, 1858.

TRANSFERS.

Mr. R. G. Melvill, Assistant Commissioner, from the Ferozepore to the Hissar district.

Genl. Dept. No. 641-3, dated 12th April, 1858.

Lieutenant G. F. J. Lewin, Assistant Commissioner, from the Hissar to the Ferozepore district.

Genl. Dept. No. 644-6, dated 12th April, 1858.

Assistant Overseer Sergeant S. Foley, from the Peshawur to the Lower Sirhind Division of Public Works.

P. W. Dept. No. 503, dated 13th April, 1858.

Mr. C. T. Owen, Extra Assistant, from the Shahpore to the Seealkote district.

General Dept. No. 666-8, dated 15th April, 1858.

Mr. E. Loftie, Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor, from the Baree Doab to the Sinde Survey.

Revenue Dept. No. 295, dated 17th April, 1858.

Mr. F. Kelly, Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor, from the Sinde to the Baree Doab Survey.

POSTINGS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Captain D. Mocatta, to be Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Seealkote from the date on which he is relieved of the Political charge of the Jummoo Contingent—subject to the confirmation of Government.

Genl. Dept. No. 619A, dated 15th April, 1858.

General H. C. VanCortlandt, C. B., to take charge of the Commissionership of Sirsa, as a temporary arrangement, in addition to his other duties.

Genl. Dept. No 636-7, dated 12th April, 1858.

The undermentioned Officers of the Civil Service, appointed 3rd class Assistant Commissioners in the Delhi Territory, are posted as follows :—

Genl. Dept. No. 680-1, dated 16th April 1858.

Mr. H. G. Paynter to the Goorgaon District.
Mr. H. Hankey, Paniput.
Mr. C. F. Lindsay, Jhujjur.
Mr. E. D. Lockwood, Rohtuck.

The Right Honorable the Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointments, in the Punjab Commission :—

Mr. E. Thornton, to officiate as Judicial Commissioner.

Mr. A. A. Roberts, to officiate as Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division.

Mr. R. N. Cust, to officiate as Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.

Lieut. Colonel J. Clarke will officiate as Commissioner of Lahore in the room of Mr. Roberts, until relieved by Mr. Cust.

Captain W. R. Eliott, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Goojranwalla from the date on which he received charge from Colonel Clarke, until further orders.

POWERS.

Missr Munnoolal, Deputy Collector of Rhotuck, is vested with the Special powers of an Assistant.

Genl. Dept. No. 693, dated 17th April 1858.

Lieut. J. C. Horne, Assistant Commissioner of Leia, is invested with the full powers of a Magistrate and Collector.

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Extract in the Financial Department is published for general information :—

No. 1566.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 19th March 1858.

Read again the following Papers relative to the grant of casual leave to Uncovenanted Servants: —

Endorsement from Home Department, No. 795, dated 21st May 1857, with enclosures.

Financial Resolution No. 2520, dated 12th June 1857.

Read an Endorsement from the Home Department, No. 544, dated the 5th instant, forwarding for consideration and orders, a letter from the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, No. 13, dated the 18th ultimo, having reference to the above subject.

Resolution.—The Hon'ble the President in Council observes that, on the 12th June last, it was ruled by this Government, that casual leave for a few days may, in cases of sickness, be granted to Uncovenanted Civil Servants by the Heads of Offices at their discretion, without loss of Salary, and without such leave being taken into account as part of the two years allowed by Clause I. of Section V. of the Uncovenanted Service Absentee Rules.

Referring to this decision, the Government of Bombay now enquires whether any, and if so, what limit has been fixed by this Government for the casual leave alluded to.

His Honor in Council remarks that no limit has as yet been established, but he considers that the total amount of casual leave should not exceed fifteen days in the course of the year, and he desires that this limit be observed in future.

Order.—Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Resolution be sent to the Home Department for communication to the Government of Bombay, and that the original paper received therefrom be returned.

Ordered further, that a Copy be sent to the Departments,* the Governments† and the Officers‡ noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

* Foreign, Military, and Public Works.
† Bengal, N. W. Provinces, Madras and Straits Settlements.
‡ Chief Commissioner Punjab, and Civil Auditor Fort William.

Ordered also, that a Copy of the above Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

(True Extract.)

(Sd.) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(True copy.)

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

No. 4956.

MEMORANDUM.

Military Auditor General's Office,
Ordnance Commissariat Dept.
Fort William, 31*st March*, 1858.

Officers in Civil, Judicial, Revenue and General Departments, &c., of the Punjab Government, having arms, ammunition, instruments, tools, &c. attached to their Departments, are reminded that the half yearly returns required in this Department by Government General Order No. 559, of the 5th April, 1856, are due for the half years ending—

31st October, 1856.
30th April, 1857.
31st October, 1857.

2*nd*.—This notification applies to the following Officers :—

PUNJAB OFFICERS.

To the Commissioner of Peshawur.

,,	Deputy	Commissioner	Shahpoor.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Khangur.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Jhelum.

To the Deputy Commissioner Rawul Pindee.

,,	ditto	ditto,	Googaira.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Jullunder.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Dera Ghazee Khan
,,	ditto	ditto,	Mooltan,
,,	ditto	ditto,	Loodianah.
,,	Offg. do.	ditto,	Leia.
,,	do.	ditto,	Hoshyarpore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Thannessur.
,,	do.	ditto,	Lahore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Ferozepore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Mundla.
,,	do.	ditto,	Kohat.
,,	Asst. do.	ditto,	Lahore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Loodianah.

To the Extra Assistant Commissioner Jhung.

ditto	Assistant	ditto Ferozepore.
ditto	ditto	ditto Nuldroo.
ditto	ditto	ditto Durriabad.
ditto	ditto	ditto Peshawur.

ditto District Police Jullunder.
ditto Cantonment Magistrate Meean Meer.

J. D. URQUHART,
Asst. Mily. Auditor Genl.

No. of 1857-58.

From

JAMES CHRISTIE, Esq.,
Accountant, Punjab.

To

The Deputy Commissioner
of

Dated Lahore, 3rd April, 1858.

Sir,—I have the honor to communicate, for your information, copy of a Circular dated 24th February last, issued by the Accountant General to the Government of India, relative to the payment and adjustment of charges arising from the mutinies, and

Circular No. 12.

to request your adoption of the same. The classifications which are therein prescribed in respect of charges, must be observed also, in reference to any credits that may be afforded in your accounts in connection with the recent mutinies, such as for *fines* and *confiscations*, &c.

2nd.—The charges should be submitted for audit on separate Bills, and the headings now prescribed, viz. "mutiny" and "profit and loss on account of the mutiny," be exhibited under the general head "Government of India."

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

JAS. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, the 3rd April, 1858.

FORT WILLIAM.

Accountant General's Office, Durbar and Revenue Department.

The 24th February, 1858.

No. 76.

CIRCULAR.

To

The

SIR,—I have the honor to request the adoption of the following heads of account in the payment and adjustment of charges arising from the mutinies.

2.—Bills for compensation sanctioned under G. O. of 20th November, 1857, should, in the case of Military men, be referred to the nearest Paymaster. Disbursements of this nature from Civil Treasuries will be restricted to claims other than those sanctioned by existing Military Regulations, and these, under orders of Government, dated the 18th ultimo, (Calcutta Gazette, of 27th idem,) should be audited by the Civil Auditor, and adjusted to the head of "mutiny."

3.—All other charges arising from the mutinies, which, under ordinary circumstances would be adjustable under civil audit to the head of "charges general of the General or Political Department," should be shewn under the head "mutiny," and those ordinarily belonging to the head "profit and loss," under a new head to be styled "profit and loss on account of the mutiny."

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) E. DRUMMOND,

Accountant General to the Govt. of India.

No. OF

To

ALL DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS IN THE PUNJAB, CIS-TRANS-INDUS TERRITORY AND THE OFFICERS IN CHARGE OF THE TREASURIES IN THE DEHLI DIVISION.

Dated Lahore, 4th February, 1858.

Circular No. 9 A.

SIR,—Under instructions from the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, I have the honor to request that you will, in future, be good enough to debit all charges for the transit of Magazine Stores, &c., by the Bullock Train, to the Government of India, under the Subordinate Head of "By Payments of the Military Department," and not to the Post Office Department, as heretofore.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

JAS. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 4th February, 1858.

No. OF 1857-58.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF

Dated Lahore, 23rd January, 1858.

Circular No. 9.

SIR,—I have the honor to submit a Form of Statement, which is designed to show the Cash Remittances that may have been despatched from, received in, or passed through your Treasury, during the month under report, together with such as may be expected to arrive shortly after its close, and to request, that you will furnish me with a similar Return, monthly, commencing from the ensuing month. The Statement should be submitted invariably with your monthly Estimate of probable Receipts and Disbursements, and it is to be considered as superceding the Memoranda No. 1 to 4, which are appended on page 89 of the Accountant's Manual, to the form of monthly Cash Balance Report.

2nd—The Statement now prescribed, although corresponding with it, is not intended to interfere with that instituted by the Financial Commissioner's Circular, No. 99, dated 9th October last.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 23rd Jan., 1858.

STATEMENT of Cash Remittances which have been despatched from, received in, or passed in transit through the Treasury during the month of or were expected to arrive shortly after its close.

Remittances received, or expected to be received.				Remittances despatched.				Remittances passed or passing through.					REMARKS.
From what Treasury received.	When despatched by transmitting Treasury.	When received here, or expected.	Amount in tale.	To what Treasury despatched.	When despatched.	When expected to reach.	Amount in tale.	From what Treasury.	To what Treasury.	When dispatched from transmitting Treasury.	When expected to reach destination.	Stated amount in tale.	

Deputy Commissioner's Office,
The 1858.

Deputy Commissioner.

No. of

To

ALL DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS IN THE PUNJAB, CIS-TRANS-INDUS TERRITORY, AND THE OFFICERS IN CHARGE OF THE TREASURIES IN THE DELHI DIVISION.

Dated Lahore, 16th March, 1858.

SIR,—The preparation of the list of Supply Bills, which Treasury Officers are, under existing rules, required to furnish to this Office monthly, involves an amount of labor which has no corresponding advantage, especially in treasuries where the Bill transactions are large; the consequence is, that the returns are received by me long after they have ceased to be of any practical value.

Circular No. 10 A.

Results and not details are required. I have, therefore, the honor to request that after the receipt of this letter, you will be good enough to substitute the subjoined form for the one now in use.

2.—The preparation of this simple table will, it is expected, occupy your establishment as many minutes as the former did hours, it should therefore be submitted as soon after the close of each month as possible.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore,
The 16th March, 1858.

TABLE showing the Result of Supply Bills negotiations of the Treasury during the month of 185 .

Names of Treasuries.	Number of Bills drawn during the month.	Aggregate Amount of Bills as per last report.			Aggregate Amount drawn during the present month.			Total to close of present month.		
General Treasury, Calcutta,	35	150,000	0	0	3,500	0	0	1,53,500	0	0
Meerut, ...	10	5,000	0	0	2,000	0	0	7,000	0	0
Delhi, ...	5	10,000	0	0	12,000	0	0	22,000	0	0
Agra, ...										
Benares, ...										
Bombay, ...										
Grand Total, ...	50	1,65,000	0	0	17,500	0	0	1,82,500	0	0

No. 3803

NOTICE.

At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshungabad, it is hereby notified for the information of Treasury Officers under the Punjab Administration, that no bill forms whatever of his Treasury have been plundered or lost, in connection with the mutinies.

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore,
The 14th April, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 12TH APRIL, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 311.—Lieut. G. A. Graham, doing duty, 2nd Punjab Cavalry, is appointed 2nd in Command, in room of Lieutenant William Paul, killed in action.

LAHORE, 13TH APRIL 1858.

TOWANNAH HORSE—RESSALLA OF SAHIB KKAN.

No. 312.—Assistant Surgeon W. F. Dalzell has been appointed to the Medical charge by G. O. C. C. of the 21st March 1858.

13TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 313.—The Regimental order of the 30th March, by Captain Garstin, Commanding, appointing Ensign T. H. Scott, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant to the Right Wing of the Regiment, proceeding to Delhi in progress of relief, is confirmed.

GOORDASPORE LEVY.

TRANSFER.

No 314.—Havildar Sunt Sing, from the 1st Punjab Police Battalion, to be Jemadar.

2ND SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 315.—Bugler Dan Sing, from the 4th Seikh Infantry.

15TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 316.—Lieut. H. De Brett, doing duty, for 30 days, from 2nd April to 2nd May 1858, to proceed to Mooltan, to appear before a Medical Committee.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 317.—The Officer Commanding is authorized to raise an additional squadron (2 complete Ressallas). The increase to be in excess of the established complement of the Regiment. This order to have retrospective effect.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 318 :—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Havildars.			
Wullyat Ally Khan, ...	Jemadar	5th March, 1858,	Jemar. Jowahur Sing, transferred.
Jug Sing, ...	ditto,	ditto,	,, Kurrum Khan, ,,

LAHORE, 15TH APRIL, 1858.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 319.—Lieut. R. C. Low, 9th Light Cavalry, doing duty with the 4th Punjab Cavalry, is appointed 2nd in Command, with effect from the date on which he joined.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 320.—Kote Duffadar Sunsar Chund to be Jemadar, in the room of Jemadar Abdool Humeed promoted.

CASHMERE AUXILIARY FORCE.

No. 321.—The services of Assistant Surgeon R. Parker, M. D., 17th Irregular Cavalry, being no longer required with the Cashmere Auxiliary Force, that Officer is, with the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, permitted to revert to, and resume Medical charge of, the Regiment to which he belongs, with effect from the 10th instant.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 322.—Jemadar Mahomed Schwaib to be Naib Ressaldar, in the room of Naib Ressaldar Mean Jan Beg, struck off the strength of the Regiment; with effect from the 1st October 1857,

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 323.—Sowar Kyrattee, who was struck off the strength of the Regiment on the 6th November last, is re-enrolled from that date.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 324.—Naib Ressaldar Shere Zeman Khan is permitted to resign the service.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 325.—Third class Native Doctor Sheikh Ramzan, to do duty.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 326.—Sepoy Soorjun Sing, from the late 28th Native Infantry.

1st PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 327.—The Regimental order of the 23rd March 1858, by Captain Hughes, Commanding, appointing Captain and Adjutant Millett to Offici-

ate as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, with effect from the 16th idem, is confirmed.

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 328.—Battery order dated 12th March 1858, by Lieut. W. B. Cumberland, assuming Command of the Battery, consequent on the departure on leave of Captain Sladen, is confirmed.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 329.—Lieut. T. E. Vander Gucht, Officiating Adjutant, for 6 months, from the 15th April 1858, on medical certificate, to visit the Hills north of Deyrah, Simla and Murree, under the old rules.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 330.—Lieut. T. L. Roberts, H. M.'s 87th Foot, Officiating 2nd in Command, for 7 months, from the 1st April 1858, on medical certificate, to visit the Murree Hills.

HURRIANA FIELD FORCE.

No. 331.—From the 1st proximo, the Force designated the "Hurriana Field Force" will be broken up; and all appointments connected therewith will cease from that date.

The Esakhel Ressala will remain at Jhujjur under the orders of the Deputy Commissioner of the District.

Khyroodeen Khan's and Shumsoodeen Khan's Ressalas, and Rajah Jowahir Sing's Troops, will remain at Hissar under the orders of the Deputy Commissioner of the District.

The Artillery and 23rd Punjab Infantry will remain at Kanoud, and report to the Officer Commanding the Meerut Division.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

KUNNIAH LALL.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Genl. Dept., No. 697-8, dated 17th April, 1858.

The Right Honorable the Governor General has been pleased to appoint Assistant Surgeon J. E. Tuson to the Civil Medical charge of the station of Murree.

P. W. Dept., No. 528, dated 17th April 1858.

Captain A. H. Heath, of Artillery, to receive charge of the Pangee Timber Agency from Lieutenant J. Peyton, as a temporary measure.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept., No. 700-1, dated 17th April, 1858.

Sir T. Metcalfe, Bart., Joint Magistrate of Delhie, for one month, from the 30th March, 1858, to enable him to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, on Medical Certificate.

P. W. Dept., No. 504-5, dated 21st April, 1858.

Lieutenant J. Peyton, Superintendent Pangee Timber Agency, for six weeks, from the 14th April, 1858, to enable him to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, on Medical Certificate.

PROMOTIONS.

Revenue Dept., No. 317, dated 22d April, 1858.

The following promotions have been made in the Sind Sagur Doab Survey, with retrospective effect from the 1st November, 1857:—

Mr. J. Kavanagh, Assistant Revenue Surveyor, salary increased from Rupees 300 to Rupees 350 per mensem.

Mr. J. McKeever, Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor, salary increased from Rupees 125 to Rupees 150 per mensem.

Mr. G. Buttress, Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor, salary increased from Rupees 75 to 100 Rupees per mensem.

EDWARD PASKE,

Asst. Secretary to Chief Commr.

The following Extract in the Public Works Department (Military) is published for general information:—

No. 1471.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Public Works Department, (Military) under date the 1st April, 1858.

Read letter No. 1797, dated 11tth instant, from the Director General Medical Department, forwarding copy of a report by the Superintending Surgeon Barrackpore Circle, on, the temporary Barracks, &c., now in course of construction at Raneegunge.

Observations.

The Hon'ble the President in Council observes that Captain Yule having visited Raneegunge on his way to Allahabad, has made certain recommendations as to improvements that should be made in the temporary Barracks at that station, which appear judicious, and may be generally approved.

2. With refeience to the very important matter of the conservancy arrangements of the station, the Hon'ble the President in Council desires that stringent measures should be taken to put a stop to the indiscriminate defiling of the ground around the Barracks which seems now to be permitted.

3. His Honor in Council would take this opportunity of pointing to the very loose habits which almost every where prevail in Indian Towns and Cantonments, with respect to this matter. It cannot be doubted that the practice of permitting the outskirts of towns and bazaars to be defiled promiscuously with human ordure and offal of all sorts, is no less objectionable as regards health, than it is disgusting to every person of ordinary refinement. The practice is one which experience has shewn may be easily put a stop to by the erection of Public necessaries at suitable places, and the establishment of a suitable establishment of scavangers to keep them properly cleaned. The local town or cantonment Funds will usually supply the means of entertaining such an establishment, or where it may be necessary in Military Stations, the Government will be prepared to sanction what is necessary to effect so important an object. The ordinary Police should at once be able to stop all irregularities, when by the erection of suitable public necessaries, no excuse remains to any one to defile the streets or fields near his residence.

4. The Officers of the Public Works Department will be directed to co-operate with the Military authorities in causing the construction of public necessaries in all cantonments, and the subject should be referred to the Military Department for re-consideration, and the issue of such further orders as may be thought necessary in that Department.

5. The attention of the local Governments may also, with advantage, be generally invited to the importance of establishing public necessaries in all large towns, as opportunity offers. It is believed that progress has been made in this essential part of municipal Police, in many places, but the Cantonments of European troops, whose health it is so essential for us to secure, being usually in the proximity of the chief towns an additional reason is now given for attention to this subject.

Orders.

Ordered, that the following instructions be issued to the Bengal Government relative to the temporary Barracks at Raneegunge.

(*Letter No.* 1380, *dated* 26*th March* 1858, *to Bengal.*)

Ordered also, that copies of the above correspondence be transmitted to the Military Department with a view to the issue of the necessary orders for carrying into effect the objects adverted to in Para. 12 of the above letter to the Government of Bengal.

Ordered also, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab for information and guidance.

(True Extract,)

(Sd.) C. H. DICKENS, *Capatin,*

Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(True copy.)

EDWARD PASKE,

Asst. Secy. to Chief Commr.

ERRATA in Table of Routes published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 10th October, 1857.

Cancel No. 3, and substitute the following :—

From Mooltan to Ferozepoor.

Districts.	Residence of the Civil Authorities.	Stages.	Distance in miles.	Rivers.	No. of Nullahs.	Fords or Ferries.	Water.	Nearest Bazar where supplies are procurable.	Remarks.
		Mooltan to Ukbur as in No. 2.							
Googaira, ...	Depy. Commr., Googaira, ..	Sutghurra, ...	$14\frac{3}{4}$	...	...	...	Plentiful,	Abundant.	Bungalow. A made road.
Lahore, ...	Ditto, Lahore, ...	Van Radha Ram, ...	$13\frac{1}{4}$	...	...	...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Ditto, ...	Ditto, ditto, ..	Choonian, ...	12	...	...	...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Ditto, ..	Ditto, ditto, ...	Rajowal, ...	11	...	...	...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Ditto, ..	Ditto, ditto, ...	Taragurh, ...	11	...	...	...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Ditto, ...	Ditto, ditto, ..	Gundasingwalla, ...	11	...	...	...	Ditto,	Ditto,	
Ferozepoor, ...	Ditto, Ferozepoor,	Ferozepoor, ...	10	Sutlej,	...	Ferry,	Ditto,	Ditto,	

Cancel No. 9, and substitute the following :—

From left bank of Sutlej near Meeanee, by the Sult Road to Ferozepoor.

		From Meeanee to Shahamutt, as in No. 8, 16 stages.							
Googaira, ...	Depy. Commr., Googaira, ...	Attaree, ...	11	...	...	...	Wells.	A large Bazar,	A made road.
Lahore, ...	Ditto, Lahore, ...	Mokul, ...	16	..	..	..	Ditto.	To be collected,	
Ditto, ..	Ditto, ditto, ...	Doboorjee, ...	$13\frac{1}{4}$	..	1	...	Abundant.	Plentiful.	
Ditto, ...	Ditto, ditto, ..	Gundasingwalla, ...	6	...	..	...	Ditto.	Ditto.	
Ferozepoor, ...	Ditto, Ferozepoor, ..	Ferozepoor, ...	10	Sutlej,	...	Ferry,	Ditto.	Ditto.	

EDWARD PASKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Chief Commissioner.

No. 4956.

MEMORANDUM.

MILITARY AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ORDNANCE COMMISSARIAT DEPT.

Fort William, 31*st March*, 1858.

Officers in Civil, Judicial, Revenue and General Departments, &c., of the Punjab Government, having arms, ammunition, instruments, tools, &c. attached to their Departments, are reminded that the half yearly returns required in this Department by Government General Order No. 559, of the 5th April, 1856, are due for the half years ending—

31st October, 1856.
30th April, 1857.
31st October, 1857.

2nd.—This notification applies to the following Officers :—

PUNJAB OFFICERS.

To the Commissioner of Peshawur.
" Deputy Commissioner Shahpoor.
" ditto ditto, Khangur.
" ditto ditto, Jhelum.
To the Deputy Commissioner Rawul Pindee.
" ditto ditto, Googaira.
" ditto ditto, Jullunder.
" ditto ditto, Dera Ghazee Khan
" ditto ditto, Mooltan.
" ditto ditto, Loodianah.
" Offg. do. ditto, Leia.
" do. ditto, Hoshyarpore.
" do. ditto, Thannessur.
" do. ditto, Lahore.
" do. ditto, Ferozepore.
" do. ditto, Mundla.
" do. ditto, Kohat.
" Asst. do. ditto, Lahore.
" do. ditto, Loodianah.
To the Extra Assistant Commissioner Jhung.
ditto Assistant ditto Ferozepore.
ditto ditto ditto Nuldroo.
ditto ditto ditto Durriabad.
ditto ditto ditto Peshawur.
ditto District Police Jullunder.
ditto Cantonment Magistrate Meean Meer.

J. D. URQUHART,
Asst. Mily. Auditor Genl.

No.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT
Punjab,

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of

Dated Lahore, 3rd April, 1858.

SIR,—I have the honor to inform you that the Officer in charge of the newly attached Territory of Jhujjur, has this day been authorized to grant Bills of Exchange upon other Treasuries; and to request that you will be good enough to honor any that he may issue upon your Treasury, debiting their amounts under bills payable of the Revenue Department, subordinate to the Punjab Section of Account. You will understand that the Jhujjur Treasury is not to be drawn upon except on the Public Service, until further notice.

Circular, No. 13.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office,
Lahore,
The 3rd April, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

The annexed Notification, issued by the Accountant General to the Government of India, is re-published for the information and guidance of Treasury Officers in the Punjab territory, including the Delhi Division.

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant.

Punjab Accountants' Office,
Lahore, the 19th April, 1858.

(COPY.)

NOTIFICATION.

The public Bill Forms, bearing the printed marks and numbers as per margin, having been abstracted from the Burdwan Treasury and this Office, are hereby cancelled, and Officers in charge of Treasuries are cautioned to refuse acceptance of them, if presented, taking the requisite steps for the apprehension of the parties concerned, in negotiating them.

Burdwan, 2 72,193.
" 2 72,195.
" 2,72 197.
Durriabad, 2 50,751.
" 2,50,752.

Treasury Officers are also required to open a Register which should be kept in their custody, or that of a trustworthy Subordinate, for entering for reference these and such other Bill Forms as may hereafter be cancelled, under similar circumstances.

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant.

No. of 1857-58.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab*,

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of

Dated Lahore, 16th April, 1858.

SIR,—Under instructions from the Accountant General to the Government of India, I have the honor to request that you will abstain, until further orders, from granting drafts on the Deputy Commissioners in charge of the Treasury at Lucknow, or any that may hereafter be established in the Oude Territory; except for public purposes, under circumstances of emergency. You will, however, have the goodness to honor bills that may be drawn upon you, by the Lucknow or other Oude Treasuries, after their re-opening has been duly advertized.

Circular No. 18.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant.
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's
Office, Lahore,
The 16th April, 1858.

No. of 1857-58.
From THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab,*
To THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of
Dated Lahore, 22nd April, 1858.

SIR,—With reference to the orders of the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, dated 6th ultimo, directing the amalgamation of the accounts of the Cis and Trans-Sutlej States, with those of the Punjab Proper, I have the honor to request that you will, from the 1st May next, discontinue the distinction that has heretofore been maintained on account of Bill or Remittance transactions connected with the above sections of Territory, and regard them all as coming under the single denomination of the Punjab Territory. All similar transactions, however, connected with the recently transferred districts of the Delhi Division, and the annexed Territory of Jhujjur will, until further orders, be classified separately as appertaining to the Delhi Territory, subordinate in every respect to the Punjab administration.

Circular No. 15.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, 22d April, 1858.
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

No. 1857-58.
From JAMES CHRISTIE, ESQUIRE,
Accountant, Punjab, Lahore,
To THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
of
Dated Lahore, 3rd April, 1858.

SIR,—The Chief Commissioner of the Punjab having, under date the 30th ultimo, authorized the removal of the Dehra Ishmael Khan Treasury to Bunnoo, I have the honor to request that all future communications on Treasury matters relating to the above District, be addressed to Bunnoo.

Circular No. 14.

2nd.—The designation of the fiscal jurisdiction remains unaltered by the arrangement now notified.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 3rd April, 1858.
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 17TH APRIL, 1858.

No. 333.—The provisions of Punjab Order No. 166, of the 22nd September last, is extended to non-combatants of all grades, who were invalided by the Annual Committees of 1857.

20TH APRIL, 1858.

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 334.—Cornet R. Beadon, 10th Light Cavay. attached to the Lahore Light Horse, to do duty.

10TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 335.—Assistant Surgeon G. Farrell, F. R. C. S., appointed to the 10th Punjab Infantry in Punjab Order No. 289, dated 1st April, will afford Medical aid to the European Recruits proceeding from Meean Meer to Rawul Pindee. On being relieved from this duty, he will proceed and join his appointment.

No. 336.—The attention of all Officers Commanding Corps, Captains and Lieutenants of Police, and Officers Commanding Levies of Horse and Foot, is particularly called to Punjab Orders No. 170 of the 10th February, and No. 226 of the 5th March last.

Great inconvenience has resulted from the irregular transmission of the Returns therein called for, which must be forwarded to the Quarter Master General's Department punctually, as ordered, on the 1st and 15th of each month.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 337.—Native Doctor Azeem Ally Khan, from 21st Punjab Infantry.

LAHORE LIGHT HORSE.

No. 338.—The leave of absence granted to Captain R. Jenkins, in Punjab Order No. 23, dated 8th January last, to proceed to Bombay on Medical Certificate, is extended from the 1st to 3rd April, 1858, both days inclusive.

MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 339.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 56, dated 14th January last, the Commandant is authorized to draw allowances for Stationery, for the maintenance of a Mess, and for a Forge Establishment, on the same scale as is sanctioned for Regiments of Punjab Cavalry.

ORGANIZED POLICE, DELHI DIVISION.

ERRATUM.

In Punjab Order No. 552, dated 24th December, 1857, posting Lieutenant T. Staples, Lieutenant of Police, for "68th" read 58th Native Infantry.

LAHORE, 22ND APRIL, 1858.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 340.—The following sepoys, late of the 57th Native Infantry, from the 20th Punjab Infantry:—

Gunda Sing,
Kan Sing,
Punjab Sing, 1st.
Punjab Sing, 2nd.

ERRATUM.

In order No. 308, dated 8th instant, making promotions in the 4th Police Battalion, for "Goolab Sing" Havildar, read Goolab Khan.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commr.

KUNNIAH LALL.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept., No. 758 60. dated 27th April, 1858.

Baboo Nil Madhub Mookeerjee, Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Shahpoor, has obtained one month's indulgence leave from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

P. W. Dept., No. 595-6, dated 30 h April, 1858.

Overseer Sergeant F. J'Anson, attached to the Upper Sirhind Division of Public Works, for two months on Medical certificate, from the date on which he proceeded on leave.

APPOINTMENT.

General Dept., No. 780, dated 29th April, 1858.

The appointment of Lieut. C. Hall to Oude, having been cancelled by the Supreme Government, that Officer is re-appointed to the Goojranwalla District as an Assistant Commissioner.

TRANSFER.

Genl. Dept., No. 753 4, dated 26th April, 1858.

Lieut. E. H. Paske, Officiating Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, is tranferred to the Jullunder District as an Assistant Commissioner.

PROMOTION.

Revenue Dept. No. 326-7, dated 27th April, 1858.

Mr. E. A. Griffiths, 2d class Assistant Patrol, Salt Department, to be a 1st class Assistant Patrol on a salary of Rs. 250 per mensem, with effect from the 24th January 1858.

DISMISSAL.

Genl. Dept., No. 800 3, dated 30th April, 1858.

Mr. W. D. McGlashan, late Head Clerk in the Executive Engineer's Office at Jullunder, is proscribed from further employment in the Government service.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

(COPY.)

No. 1535.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 19th March 1858.

READ the under-mentioned papers on the subject of granting assistance to the sufferers in consequence of the mutinies.

Extract from the Proceedings of this Government in the Financial Department, No. 4812*A*, *dated the* 13*th November* 1857.

Endorsement from the Home Department, No. 602, dated the 10th March, 1858, and its enclosures.

RESOLUTION.—The Honorable the President in Council is pleased to resolve that grants of money shall be given to Non-Commissioned Military Officers in the Public Works Department on detached Civil employ, who have lost the whole or a large portion of their property by the mutinies, on the same scale and under the same terms as grants are awarded to uncovenanted Civil Officers; that is, on the scale and under the terms specified in Clause 3, Rule 2, Rule 3, Rule 5 and Rule 6 of the Rules passed in this Department, under date the 13th November 1857; the salaries of such Non-Commissioned Officers being taken at the aggregate of their Military and Civil allowances.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be forwaded to the Home Department, and that the original papers received therefrom be returned, copies being kept for record.

(A true Extract)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 781.

Copy forwarded to the Public Works Department, with reference to Extract from that Department, No. 1037, dated the 2nd Instant, and enclosure, and the original paper returned.

By order,

(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,

Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT,
The 29*th March*, 1858.

No. 1746.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded for information and guidance to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

By order of the Hon'ble the President in Council.

(Signed) R. STRACHEY, *Major*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
Public Works Department,
The 12th April, 1858.

Re-published for general information.

By order of the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, are re-published from the Gazette of the Governor General's camp for general information :—

Foreign Department,
Allahabad, the 13th April, 1858.

No. 606.

The Delhi Territory having been transferred, by a Resolution of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, in the Home Department, dated the 9th February 1858, to the administration of the Chief Commissioner in the Punjab, the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General has resolved that the Territory in question shall be separated into two Divisions, to each of which a Commissioner shall be appointed. The one will be designated the Delhi Division, and will comprise the Districts of Delhi, Googaon and Paneeput. The other will be designated the Hissar Division, and will comprise the Districts of Hissar, Rohtuck, Jhujjur and Sirsa.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor-General has further resolved that the Officers in charge of the Districts, composing the Delhi and Hissar Divisions, shall have the designation of Deputy Commissioners, and their subordinates the designation of Assistant Commissioners and Extra Assistant Commissioners, as in the Punjab.

No. 607.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor-General has been pleased to make the following appointments :—

Mr. C. B. Saunders, to be Commissioner of the Delhi Division.

Mr. E. L. Brandreth, to be Commissioner of the Hissar Division.

Mr. P. Egerton, to be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, Delhi.

Mr. W. Ford, to be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, Goorgaon.

Mr. C. J. H. Richardes, to be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, Paneeput.

General Van Cortlandt, to be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, Hissar.

Mr. R. P. Jenkins, to be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, Rohtuck.

No. 608.

Mr. J. S. Campbell, appointed in General Order No. 431, dated 29th March, to be a Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, in the Delhi Division, is appointed to be Deputy Commissioner of Jhujjur, in the Hissar Division.

No. 609.

Mr. J. H. Oliver, appointed in General Order No. 26, dated 13th February last, to officiate as Superintendent of Sirsa, is appointed to be Deputy Commissioner of that District from the date on which the appointment of Superintendent may be vacated by Major R. Robertson, 70th Regiment Native Infantry.

(Sd.) G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor General.

Public Works Department.
Allahabad, the 16th April 1858.

NOTIFICATION.—The services of Lieutenant F. J. Gully, 31st Native Infantry, being no longer required with the Goorkha force, are replaced at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for re-employment in the Deparment Public Works.

Allahabad, the 19th April, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.—The two Divisions of the Department Public Works, heretofore known as Upper and Lower Huzara, now form one under the name of the Huzara Division.

By order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General.

(Sd.) H. YULE, *Captain,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor General.

True copies.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commr.

No. 4956.

MEMORANDUM.

MILITARY AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ORDNANCE COMMISSARIAT DEPT.

Fort William, 31st March, 1858.

Officers in Civil, Judicial, Revenue and General Departments, &c., of the Punjab Government, having arms, ammunition, instruments, tools, &c. attached to their Departments, are reminded that the half yearly returns required in this Department by Government General Order No. 559, of the 5th April, 1856, are due for the half years ending—

31st October, 1856.
30th April, 1857.
31st October, 1857.

2nd.—This notification applies to the following Officers :—

PUNJAB OFFICERS.

To the Commissioner of Peshawur.

,,	Deputy	Commissioner	Shahpoor.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Khangur.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Jhelum.

To the Deputy Commissioner Rawul Pindee.

,,	ditto	ditto,	Googaira.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Jullunder.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Dera Ghazee Khan
,,	ditto	ditto,	Mooltan.
,,	ditto	ditto,	Loodianah.
,,	Offg. do.	ditto,	Leia.
,,	do.	ditto,	Hoshyarpore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Thannessur.
,,	do.	ditto,	Lahore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Ferozepore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Mundla.
,,	do.	ditto,	Kohat.
,,	Asst. do.	ditto,	Lahore.
,,	do.	ditto,	Loodianah.

To the Extra Assistant Commissioner Jhung.

ditto	Assistant	ditto Ferozepore.
ditto	ditto	ditto Nuldroo.
ditto	ditto	ditto Durriabad.
ditto	ditto	ditto Peshawur.

ditto District Police Jullunder.

ditto Cantonment Magistrate Meean Meer.

J. D. URQUHART,
Asst. Mily. Auditor Genl.

No. of 1857-58.

From JAS. CHRISTIE, Esquire,
Accountant, Punjab.

To THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of

Dated Lahore, 3rd April, 1858.

Circular No. 12.

Sir,—I have the honor to communicate for your information copy of a Circular dated 24th February last, issued by the Accountant General to the Government of India relative to the payment and adjustment of charges arising from the mutinies, and to request your adoption of the same. The classifications which are therein prescribed in respect of charges, must be observed, also, in reference to any credits that may be afforded in your accounts in connection with the recent mutinies, such as for *fines* and *confiscations*, &c.

2nd.—The charges should be submitted for audit on separate Bills, and the headings now prescribed, viz., " Mutiny" and " Profit and Loss on account of the mutiny" be exhibited under the general head Government of India.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Acct., Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore,
The 3rd April, 1858.

Fort William,
Accountant Genl.'s Office, Durbar and Rev. Dept.
The 24th February, 1858.

No. 76.

CIRCULAR

To

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Sir,—I have the honor to request the adoption of the following heads of account in the payment and adjustment of charges arising from the mutinies.

2.—Bills for compensation sanctioned under G. O. of 20th November 1857, should, in the case of Military men, be referred to the nearest Pay Master. Disbursement of the nature from Civil treasuries will be restricted to claims other than those sanctioned by existing Military Regulations ; and these orders of Government, dated the 18th ultimo, (*Calcutta Gazette* of 27th idem) should be audited by the Civil Auditor and adjusted to the head of mutiny.

3.—All other charges arising from the mutinies, which under ordinary circumstances would be adjustable under Civil audit to the head of Charges General of the General or Political Department, should be shown under the head " Mutiny," and those ordinarily belonging to the head " Profit and Loss" under a new head, to be styled " Profit and Loss on account of the mutiny."

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Sd.) E. DRUMMOND,
Acct. Genl. to the Govt. of India.

(True Copy,)
W. E. GORDON,
Superintendent.

No. of 1857-58.

From THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab, Lahore.*

To THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of

Dated Lahore, 13th April, 1858.

Circular No. 17.

Sir,—In continuation of my Circular No. 12, dated 3rd instant, and with reference to instructions issued by the Accountant General to the Government of India, dated 30th ultimo, I have the honor to point out that agreeably to the general rule there laid down, pensions granted by Government to the destitute families of persons who have fallen in the mutinies, should be separately shown in your accounts under the head " Mutiny."

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore,
The 13th April, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

Lahore, 27th April, 1858.

4th SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

Transfers.

No. 341.—Sowar Kirpal Sing.
,, Boota Sing.
,, Soochait Sing,
} From the 5th Punjab Cavalry

No. 342.—The Derah Ismael Khan station order of the 6th April 1858, by Colonel MacDonald, commanding, appointing Native Doctor Shaick Meah Jan, attached to the 39th Native Infantry, to do duty with the Moveable Column, in the room of Native Doctor Zoorab Khan, deceased, is confirmed.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 343.—Jemadar Ahmed Meer Khan, from the 5th Punjab Cavalry, to be Naib Ressaldar; with effect from the 23rd March 1858.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 344.—The Regimental order of the 5th April 1858, by Captain Paget, commanding, appointing shop coolie Himaiut Ally, to act as Native Doctor, in the room of Zoorab Khan, deceased, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

CORPS OF GUIDES.

No. 345.—Jemadar Purshad Sing is permitted to resign the service.

TOWANAH HORSE.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 346.—Lieut. J. W. Orchard, of the 33rd Native Infantry, doing duty with the Kemaon Battalion, to command the Ressalas of Mullicks Futteh Shere Khan and Allum Shere Khan, with effect from the 5th February 1858; in room of Lieut. R. A. Hamilton, removed to another appointment.

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 347.—The Dera Ismael Khan station order of the 12th March 1858, by Colonel MacDonald, commanding, directing Assistant Surgeon A. R. Atkinson, 39th Native Infantry, to afford medical aid to this Battery in addition to his other duties, is confirmed.

LOODEEANA GENERAL SERVICE LEVY.

TRANSFER.

No. 348.—Havildar Newasush Ally Shah, from 4th Punjab Police Battalion, to be Jemadar.

No. 349.—In publishing for general information, the following letter from the officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department, intimating the grant, by the Supreme Government, of pecuniary aid to Band Masters thrown out of employ by the Mutiny, it is notified that Bills submitted by Commanding Officers or Presidents of Band Committees, on behalf of their respective Band Masters, to Deputy Pay Masters, must bear the countersignature of the Brigadier or Officer Commanding the station; and be accompanied by a certificate of the date up to which the ordinary salary was paid :—

No. 1441.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

Punjab.

SIR,

In reply to your Military Secretary's letter No. 550 of the 24th December 1857, Military Dept. I am desired to state that, on consideration of the distress, which it is represented that certain Band Masters, whose corps have mutinied, now experience; the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is pleased to determine that in those Regiments in which there were Band Masters, who may have lost their employment in consequence of the mutiny of the corps in which they were serving, the Band allowance of Rupees (100) one hundred per mensem shall be continued for a period of six months after the subscriptions of the officers may, under the ordinary rules, cease.

I have, &c.,

(signed) F. D. ATKINSON, *Major*,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,

Military Department.

Council Chamber,
Fort William.
The 26th March, 1858.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 350 —PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Sultana Singh, ...	Subadar,	... ...	To complete the Establishment.
Nehal Singh,...	ditto,	... ...	
Havildars.			
Churt Singh,...	Jemadar,	... ...	
Shumshdeen,...	ditto,	... ...	
Moor Singh, ...	ditto,	... ...	
Ahmud, ...	ditto,	... ...	

LAHORE, 29TH APRIL, 1858.

JHELUM LEVY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 351.—Captain W. Elwyn, of the 58th Native Infantry, is appointed to the charge of the Levy, from the date on which he joined.

8TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 352.—Lieut. T. B. Boileau, doing duty with the Peshawur Light Horse, to be Officiating Adjutant, in the room of Lieut. Knyvett, placed at the disposal of the Govt. N. W. Provinces.

LAHORE, 30TH APRIL, 1858.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 353.—Captain A. J. Macpherson, H. M's 24th Foot, Commanding, for six months from the 12th April 1858, on Medical Certificate, to proceed to Simla.

LAHORE HORSE DEPOT.

No. 354.—There being great difficulty in procuring Horse attendants, the Officer in charge is authorized to entertain Saices, at the marching rate of pay, viz : Rs. 5 per mensem.

No. 355.—The following letter, No. 375, dated 10th April, 1858, from the Officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department, to the Adjutant General of the Army, regarding the employment of full Surgeons, is published for information and guidance.

No. 375.

To

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
of the Army.

SIR,

Military Deptt.

I am directed to acquaint you, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, that the Hon'ble the President in Council, having had under consideration, the circumstance, of many full Surgeons on the Bengal Establishment, who having been deprived of the Medical charge of the Regiments of the Line by the Mutiny of the Native Army, are considered ineligible for other medical charges, which under the ordinary rules, can be held by Assistant Surgeons only ; is pleased to resolve that those full Surgeons for whom there may be no employment, in charges usually allotted to that grade, shall temporarily be considered available for the medical charge of Local and Irregular Corps, and of Civil stations.

I am, &c.,

(Sd) F. D. ATKINSON, *Major,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Council Chamber, Fort William, the 10th April, 1858.

No. 379.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for information.

By order of the Hon'ble the President in Council.

(Sd) F. D. ATKINSON, *Major,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Military Department.

No. 356.—Copy of the following letter, No. 146, dated 4th July 1857, from the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, regarding allowances to Station Staff Officers of the Punjab Irregular Force, is published for information and guidance :—

No. 146.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
of the Punjab.

SIR,

Military Deptt.

With reference to your Military Secretary's letter, No. 280, of the 4th May 1857, I am desired to acquaint you, that the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council sanctions the grant of the usual allowance for the performance of the duties of Station Staff, at the several stations occupied by the Punjab Irregular Force, as noted in the margin.

Kohat.
Bunnoo.
Dera Ghazee Khan
Dera Ismael Khan.
Abbottabad.

I am, &c.,

(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India
in the Mily. Dept.

Council Chamber, Fort William, The 4th July, 1857.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

TRANSFERS.

General Dept., No. 813-5, dated 3rd May, 1858.

Lieut. J. Tighe, Assistant Commissioner, from the Mooltan to the Khangurh district.

General Dept., No. 858-9, dated 5th May, 1858.

Mr. C. Lindsay, Assistant Commissioner, from the Jhujjur to the Goorgaon district.

APPOINTMENTS.

General Dept., No. 852-4, dated 5th May, 1858.

Subject to the confirmation of the Supreme Government, the Chief Commissioner has made the following appointments to the Punjab Commission :—

Lieut. W. G. Chalmers, 51st Regiment N. I., to be an Officiating Assistant Commissioner at Dera Ishmael Khan.

Lieut. J. C. H. Johnstone, 18th Regt. N. I., to be an Officiating Assistant Commissioner at Umballa.

Judicial Dept., No. 274, dated 8th May, 1858.

Mr. W. Ford, Deputy Commissioner of Goorgaon, is appointed Registrar of Deeds in that district, as a temporary arrangement.

PROMOTIONS.

Revenue Dept., No. 361, dated 6th May, 1858.

The following promotions have been made in the Establishment of the Baree Doab Revenue Survey, with effect from the 1st January, 1858.

Mr. Ellison, Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor, salary raised from Rs. 225 to Rs. 250, per mensem.

Mr. E. Loftie, Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor, salary raised from Rs. 175 to Rs. 2.0, per mensem.

POWERS.

General Dept., No. 922-3, dated 8th May, 1858.

The following Officers have been vested with the full powers of a Collector and Magistrate :—

Assistant Commissioners.

Mr. C. W. Aitchison.
Lieutenant C. H. Hall.
Captain R. R. Adams.
Lieutenant C. A. McMahon.
Mr. B. Hardinge.
Mr. D. C. McNabb.
Lieutenant J. Havelock.
Lieutenant J. E. B. Parsons.

Extra Assistants.

Agha Kulb Abid.
Syud Jumal Allee.
Mr. G. Knox.
Mr. C. W. Lennox.

The following Officers have been vested with the special powers of an Assistant :—

Assistant Commissioners.

Mr. W. B. Jones.
Lieutenant T. F. Forster.
Lieutenant H. Babbage.
Captain T. J. H. Keyes.
Lieutenant A. A. Munro.
Lieutenant F. J. Millar.
Lieutenant G. F. J. Lewin.

Extra Assistants.

Mr. C. Stephen.
Dewan Devidutta.
Mirza Azim Beg.
Mr. G. Thomson.

LEAVE.

P. W. Department, No. 629-31, dated 6th May, 1858.

Mr. W. Purdon, C. E., Executive Engineer, Khewra Salt Mines, has obtained six weeks preparatory leave to Bombay on Medical Certificate, from the date on which he

may avail himself thereof; to enable him to appear before a Medical Committee, with a view of obtaining one year's sick leave to Europe.

Mr. W. C. Plowden, Assistant Commissioner, Umballa, has obtained two months' indulgence leave from the 26th April, 1858.
Genl. Department, No. 890-1. dated 6th May, 1858.

Mr. P. Lennox, Assistant Engineer, has obtained leave of absence on Medical Certificate, from the 24th April, 1858, in extension of the leave granted to him; *vide* Punjab Gazette, dated 17th April, 1858.
P. W. Department, No. 643-4, dated 7th May, 1858.

Mr. C. T. LeBas, late Judge of Delhie, for six months on Medical Certificate, with effect from the 17th April 1858.
Genl. Department, No 915-7, dated 7th May 1858.

Captain H. J. Hawes, Assistant Commissioner, took his departure on sick leave to Europe, in the Ship "Ottawa," which was left by the Pilot at Sea on the 24th April 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commr.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General are re-published from the Gazette of the Governor-General's Camp for general information:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.
Allahabad, the 22nd April 1858.

No. 721.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to make the following appointments, to have effect from the 16th instant.

Mr. E Thornton to be Judicial Commissioner in the Punjab.

Mr. A. A. Roberts to be Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division.

Mr. R. N. Cust to be Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division.

Allahabad, the 28th April, 1858.
No. 805.

The appointment of Lieut. C. H. Hall, 64th Native Infantry, as notified in orders of 10th instant, No. 566, is hereby cancelled.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Allahabad, the 28th April, 1858.
No. 12.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to make the following promotions in the Department of Public Works:—

To be an Executive Engineer of the 1st Class.

Robertson, Major A., 48th Madras Native Infantry, (Lahore and Peshawur road.)

To be an Executive Engineer of the 2nd Class.

Oliphant, Lieutenant W. S., Engineers, (Lahore and Beas road.)

To be an Executive Engineer of the 4th Class.

Moravia, Mr. C., Executive Engineer for Demolition at Delhi, from the date of his taking charge of that work.

To be Assistant Engineers of the 1st Class.

Palmer, Mr. E. C., C. E., (Punjab.)

Sandilands, Lieutenant E. N., H. M.'s 8th regiment, (Lahore and Peshawur road.)

Scott, Mr. H., (Lahore and Peshawur road.)

The following Promotions are also made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment:—

Duncan, Assistant Supervisor, Serjeant M., Western Jumna Canals, to be an Extra Sub-Engineer of the 3rd Class. } For special service during late events.

To be Supervisors.

Butler, Assistant Supervisor, Serjeant R., Baree Doab Canal.

Deacon, ditto ditto Serjeant J., Umballa.

To be Assistant Supervisors.

Gibson, Overseer Serjeant A., Murree.

Lynch, ditto ditto J., Mooltan.

Manners, ditto ditto W. H., Peshawur.

Marshall, ditto ditto W., Baree Doab Canal.

Whayman, Overseer Gunner J., Sutlej and Beas Road.

To be Overseers.

Baness, Mr. Assistant Overseer S., Baree Doab Canal.

Cox, Assistant Overseer Bombardier G. F. F., Baree Doab Canal.

Grice, ditto ditto Serjeant P., Lower Derajat.

Taylor, ditto ditto Gunner W., (1st) Baree Doab Canal.

Walsh, Assistant Overseer Serjeant J., Lahore and Peshawur Road.

Corcoran, ditto ditto Serjeant C., Western Jumna Canals.
Marten, ditto ditto Serjeant J., Western Jumna Canals. } For special service during the events of last year.

All the preceding promotions will take effect from this date, unless it be otherwise specified.

(True copies)

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

No. OF 1857-58.

From
THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,
To
THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of
Dated Lahore, 27th April, 1858.

SIR,—Under instructions issued to this Office by the Accountant General to the Government of India, in a letter No. 179, dated the 15th instant, I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to open a Special Register for recording all applications for the payment of Bills drawn on, or by you, and lost during the disturbances.
Circular No. 19.

2nd.—The object of this Register is, to provide a check against the possibility of a double payment being made of a Bill alleged to have been lost; and you will be careful to refer to it before accepting or paying any Bills purporting to be drawn by Treasuries in the disturbed districts.

3rd.—In order to secure uniformity of practice, I would recommend that the form of, Register, to be maintained, should correspond in its chief de-

tails with the form prescribed for Register of Bills issued, and Register of Bills payable, a broad margin being left for the Column of Remarks. It should, moreover, be maintained in the Ledger style, a single page or folio, as the case may require being appropriated to each Treasury with the name thereof legibly written at the head ; and in order to render the record as accurate as possible, a brief note of the several orders which have been communicated to you, either from this office, or from that of the Financial Commissioner's, or which may hereafter be communicated from this office, in respect to all applications which have been, or may hereafter be, sanctioned or refused, should be entered in the Column of Remarks.

4th.—In conclusion, I have to add for your information and guidance, that it has been deemed desirable, in cases where Treasuries have resumed operations, that the amounts of lost Bills drawn upon it be discharged by means of seconds of Exchange and transfer Drafts, rather than by a direct refund from the Treasury of the Drawer.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

JAS. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 27th April, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

The following Notification issued by the Officiating Accountant to the Government of Bengal, is republished from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 24th ultimo, for the information of Treasury officers under the Punjab Administration.

JAS. CHRISTIE,

1st May, 1858. *Accountant, Punjab.*

(COPY.)

NOTIFICATION.

The Public Bill Forms bearing the printed Nos. 301447, 301448, 301449 and 301450, having been found to be missing from the Rungpore Treasury, are hereby cancelled ; and Officers in charge of Treasuries are cautioned to refuse acceptance of them if presented, taking the requisite steps for the apprehension of the parties concerned in negotiating them.

R. P. HARRISON,

Offg. Acct. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, Office of Acct. Genl. of Bengal, The 22nd April, 1858

(True Copy,)

W. E. GORDON, *Superintendent.*

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 4TH MAY, 1858.

No. 357.—Officers commanding Levies and Depôts, are authorized to draw a monthly allowance of Rupees ten per Company, for the repair of arms, &c. Contingent Bills for this, to be forwarded to the Military Secretary's office, supported by a certificate of date of supply of arms.

GOORDASPORE LEVY.

PROMOTION.

No. 358.—Jemadar Nanuck Chund, to be Subadar, to complete the Establishment, with effect from this date.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No 359.—The Regimental Order of the 13th ultimo, by Capt. A. J. Macpherson, Commanding, making over, on his departure on sick leave, the command of the Regiment to Captain Ouseley, and appointing Lieut. and Officiating Adjutant Gibson to officiate as 2nd in Command, is confirmed.

No. 1 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 360.—Lieut. F. R. DeBude, 4th Troop 3rd Brigade Horse Artillery, to command, in the room of Captain Sladen, proceeded to Europe on sick certificate.

13TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 361.—Sepoy Shumuzdeen, from the 4th Police Battalion.

4TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

Sepoy Make Khan, from 13th Punjab Infantry.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 362.—Sepoy Bhugel Sing,
„ Mungul Sing,
„ Utter Sing,
„ Pakhur Sing, from the 21st Punjab Infantry, as Sowars.

1ST SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 363.—The Regimental Order of the 21st March last, by Lieut. Chichester, 2nd in Command, assuming command of the Regiment on the death of Captain Wale, killed in action, and appointing Lieut. and Adjutant Godby, to officiate as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, is confirmed.

9TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 364.—Native Doctor Chimmun Lall, formerly attached to the Civil Station of Delhi, is appointed to the Battalion.

No. 365.—In continuation of Punjab Order, No. 572, dated 30th December last, organizing a Transport Train for the conveyance of European Troops, the following additional victualling stations, with the Establishments specified, are sanctioned, with the view of expediting the transit of soldiers and their families towards Jullundur and Umballa, on the recommendation of Major General Windham, Commanding the

Lahore Division, subject to the confirmation of the Supreme Government :—

UMRITSUR.

1 Victualling Sergeant. Staff pay Rs. 20. Horse allowance Rs. 10 per mensem.
1 Peon at 4.
3 Cooks at 6 each per mensem.

WUZEERA GHAT—BEAS.

1 Victualling Sergeant, on allowances stated above.
1 Mutsuddee at 20 per mensem.
1 Peon at 5 ditto.
3 Cooks at 6 each ditto.

An English Writer is also sanctioned at 30 per mensem to keep the accounts of the Train.

LAHORE, 5TH MAY, 1858.

19TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 366.—Surgeon C. Douglas, to the medical charge.

LAHORE, 6TH MAY, 1858.

1ST PUNJAB CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 367.—Assistant Surgeon C. M. Smith, to medical charge, from the Khilat-i-Ghilzie Regiment.

HURRIANA FIELD FORCE.

No. 368.—The Hurriana Field Force Order, dated 21st ultimo, by General VanCortlandt Commanding, appointing Lieut. G. F. Graham, Staff Officer to the Force, in room of Captain W. J. F. Stafford, removed to another appointment, is confirmed. The appointment to cease from the 1st May, the date of the breaking up of the Field Force.

15TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 369.—Lieut. F. Mackenzie, from the 11th Punjab Infantry, to do duty, in the room of Lieut. H. DeBrett, proceeded to Europe on sick certificate.

LAHORE, 7TH MAY, 1858.

No. 370.—With reference to the increase of pay granted to Sowars, as published in Punjab Order, No. 242½, of the 9th March last, the pay of Bargirs is to be calculated at eight (8) Rupees per mensem, until further orders.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY.

No. 20. Wednesday, May 12, 1858. Vol. 2.

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept., No. 938, dated 11th May, 1858.

The leave, on urgent private affairs, for one month, granted to Capt. H. R. James, Deputy Commissioner of Peshawur, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 27th February, 1858, has been cancelled at that Officer's request.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Dept, No. 944-46. dated 11th May, 1858.

Mr. F. R. Scarlett to officiate as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Lahore, on a salary of Co.'s Rupees 300 per mensem, as a temporary arrangement, and pending the confirmation of the Supreme Government.

TRANSFERS.

Mr. W. C. Wood, Extra Assistant of Ferozepore, who was temporarily attached to the Googaira District, is re-transferred to the Ferozepore District.

Lieutenant W. G. Chalmers, Assistant Commissioner, from the Dehra Ishmael Khan to the Googaira District.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commr.

NOTICE.

200 RUPEES REWARD.

Offered for information which will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the official of the Post office with the Field Force at Delhi, who, on the 2nd of September last, appropriated a Gold Geneva Watch, No. 8,574, which was contained in a Registered letter from the Kussowlee Post Office to the address of Lieut Colonel Herbert, Her Majesty's 75th Regiment.

G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W P.

Dated Camp Lucknow,
The 6th May, 1858.

No. 2,182.

EXTRACT from Para. 5 of a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, addressed to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 17 of 1858, dated the 3rd March :—

Letter from, in Millitary Department, dated 3rd August, 1857, No. 207, para. 75, states that it has been determined to write off to "Profit and Lose" the amount of a supposed double payment of Rupees 13,274-15-5 from the Hyderabad Treasury to the 3rd Bombay Light Cavalry.

"We wish it, however, to be distinctly intimated to the heads of Departments of account, whether Civil or Military, that we shall hold them responsible, in future, for any extraordinary delay in discovering such errors as double payments, or in bringing in charge against individuals sums due from them to the state. Inadequacy of establishment cannot be admitted as an excuse for the neglect of this duty, especially when augmentations have been repeatedly sanctioned, in order to bring up and prevent arrears. We wish this decision to be communicated to the Governments of the other Presidencies, as one that will be equally applicable to their offices of account."

Copy of the above forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for information and guidance.

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Fort William,
Financial Department,
The 21st April, 1858

Published for general information.

By order of the Chief Commissioner.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

NOTICE.

Applications for transfers of notes to the open loan having been erroneously forwarded on several occasions by Mofussil residents direct to the Accountant General in Calcutta, notice is hereby given that such transfers can be effected at the General Treasury only through some appointed Agent.

Investments in the open loan may, however, be made through the Local Treasuries, the officers in charge of such treasuries being authorized by Government notifications, dated the 20th and 27th July 1857, to accept tenders of notes for transfer investment, and to issue the usual loan acknowledgments for the preparation of the new notes required.

EDMUND DRUMMOND,

Accountant General to the Govt of India.

Fort William,
Loan Office,
The 26th April, 1858.

The above notice is re-published for general information from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 1st instant.

JAS. CHRISTIE,

10th May, 1858. *Accountant, Punjab.*

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 11TH MAY, 1858.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 371.—Captain W. J. F. Stafford, 36th N. I., to be officiating commandant.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 372.—Lieut. W. F. Edwards, doing duty, to be officiating Adjutant in room of Lieut. F. B. Norman, appointed to the Quarter Master General's Department; with effect from 26th ultimo.

Lieut. R. Smith, of the 59th Native Infantry, to do duty, *vice* Edwards.

CORPS OF GUIDES.

PROMOTION.

No. 373.—Havildar Unmole Singh, to be Jemadar in room of Jemadar Aya Singh, transferred to the 17th Punjab Infantry; with effect from 1st January, 1858.

JHUJJUR MOUNTED POLICE.

TRANSFER.

No. 374.—Duffadar Bussawah Singh, from the Lahore Division Mounted Police, to be Jemadar.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 375.—The appointments notified in Punjab Order No. 89, dated 22nd January last, of Lieut. Probyn, to act as 2nd in command, and Lieut. MacDonnell, as Adjutant, are to have effect from the 1st December, 1857.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY

No. 376.—Ressaldar Uslum Khan is dismissed the service from the date of receipt of this order at the Head Quarters of his Corps.

LAHORE, 12TH MAY, 1858.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY

No. 377.—Lahore Brigade Order of the 7th April, 1858, by Brigadier Corbett, C. B., Commanding, appointing Surgeon J. H. Butler, F. R. C. S., 9th Light Cavalry, to afford medical aid to the 21st Punjab Infantry, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 378.—Regimental Order of the 18th April, 1858, by Lieut. Pearse, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant Jennings, Officiating 2nd in Command, to act as Adjutant in addition to his other duties, in room of Lieutenant Hamilton, killed in action, is confirmed.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*

Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

Lieutenant Ralph Young, of Engineers, appointed by Government to be an Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab, is posted to the Lahore District.

General Dept., No. 973 4 dated 15th May, 1858.

TRANSFERS.

Mr. H. G. Paynter, Assistant Commissioner, from the Goorgaon to the Rohtuck District.

Extra Assistant Sham Lall, from the Delra Ghazee Khan District, to the Mooltan Settlement, with effect from the 27th March, 1858, the date on which he relinquished his duties in the Delra Ghazee Khan District.

POWERS.

The following Officers have been vested with the special powers of an Assistant :—

Mr. T. H. Thornton, Assistant Commissioner.

Captain R. O. T. Nicolls, ditto.

Lieutenant W. M. Lane, ditto.

R. TEMPLE,

Secretary to Chief Commr.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, are re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's Camp for general information :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

ALLAHABAD, THE 3RD MAY, 1858.

No. 856.

Apothecary G. E. Pool, is appointed to the Medical charge of the Simla Jail and Dispensary.

ALLAHABAD, THE 4TH MAY, 1858.

No. 870.

The Governor General has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Minto Elliot, of Artillery, to be Assistant in the Baree Doab Survey.

ALLAHABAD, THE 6TH MAY, 1858.

No. 895.

The Governor General has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant J. W. H. Johnstone, 18th Native Infantry, and Lieutenant W. G. Chalmers, 51st Native Infantry, to be Assistant Commissioners of the 3rd Class in the Punjab.

(True Copies.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 13TH MAY, 1858.

SEALKOTE LEVY.

No. 379.—The following Hospital Establishment is sanctioned, the Levy having been brought on station duty :—

1 Dresser.
1 Bhistee.
1 Sweeper.

No. 380.—Delhra Ismael Khan Station Order of the 1st May, 1858, by Colonel MacDonald, Commanding, directing Assistant Surgeon R. Rouse, 5th Punjab Cavalry, to relieve Assistant Surgeon Atkinson, 39th N. I., of the medical charge of the 10th Punjab Infantry, No. 1 Punjab Light Field Battery, and No. 4 or Garrison Company Artillery, P. I. Force, is confirmed.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 381.—The Officer Commanding is authorized to entertain 100 men in excess of the Establishment, the Regiment being under orders to march down country.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 382.—Regimental Order, dated 15th April, 1858, by Captain Cafe, Commanding, appointing

Lieutenant and Adjutant McQueen to act as 2nd in Command, *vice* Lieutenant Willoughby killed in action, and Lieutenant A. W. Stewart to conduct the duties of 2nd in Command, in addition to those of Adjutant, during the absence of Lieutenant McQueen.

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 383.—Sowars Surdool Sing, Goordut Sing and Hossein Shah, from the 8th, and Sowars Khan Bahadoor Khan and Atta Mahomed, from the 9th Ressallas of the Mooltan Division Mounted Police, with effect from the 1st January, 1858.

1st PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 384. PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room promoted.
Jemadar Meer Allum Khan, ...	Naib Resaldar,	1st April, 1858,	Naib Ressaldar Bazmeer Khan, struck off, having failed to rejoin from furlough.
Kote Duffadars.			
Kubeer Khan, ...	Jemadar,	15th July, 1857,	Jemadar Azim Khan, killed in action.
Abdoollah Khan, ..	ditto,	10th April, 1857,	Do. Mahomed Ally Khan, dismissed.
Duffadar.			
Bhuggut Sing, ...	ditto,	1st April, 1858,	Do. Meer Allum Khan, promoted.

LAHORE, 15TH MAY, 1858.

4TH SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 385.—Duffadar Jelall as Jemadar,
" Heera Sing as Kote Duffadar,
" Dost Mahomed Khan, as Naib Ressaldar,
Sowar Doulut Sing as Duffadar,
} From 1st Punjab Cavalry.
and
Lance Duffadar Purja Sing,
Sowar Golam Hossein Khan,
" Hookum Sing,
} From 3rd Punjab Cavalry.

SEALKOTE LEVY.

PROMOTION.

No. 386.—Pay Havildar Noor Elahee to be Jemadar from this date, to complete the Establishment.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 387.—Captain W. J. F. Stafford, Commanding the 22nd Punjab Infantry, is appointed officiating Commandant, with effect from 6th instant.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2466.

Extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, addressed to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 10 of 1858, dated the 16th February.

Letter from dated 8th June 1857, No. 82.

Reports proceedings of the Government of India in the Financial Department for the 4th quarter of 1856.

Paras. 111 and 112. Under the circumstances represented by the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, have sanctioned the rule by which Military Officers on staff employ, Trans Indus, are allowed two months' indulgence leave consecutively, being made applicable to Military Officers in civil employ in the Trans Indus Territories.

Para. 13. The privilege of two consecutive months' indulgence leave, originally granted to Military Officers on staff employ in the Peshawur valley, on account of the distance of the district from the Presidency or any Sanitarium, has been extended for the same reason to the Trans Indus Territories; we do not, however, think it advisable that this privilege should be allowed to any Military Officers in civil employ, who, while holding civil appointments, must abide by the regulations of the Civil Service in this respect.

Copy of the above para. forwarded to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab for information and guidance.

(Sd.) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
Financial Department,
The 28th April, 1858.

NOTICE.

200 RUPEES REWARD.

Offered for information which will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the official of the Post office with the Field Force at Delhi, who, on the 2nd of September last, appropriated a Gold Geneva Watch, No. 8,574, which was contained in a Registered letter from the Kussowlee Pos Office to the address of Lieut. Colonel Herbert Her Majesty's 75th Regiment.

Dated Camp, Lucknow,
The 6th May, 1858.

G. PATON,
Post Master Genl. N. W. P.

POSTAL NOTICE.

The public are informed that the Bullock Train will be maintained during the approaching rains, between Kurnal, Umballa, Loodianah, Ferozepore, Jullunder, Umritsur, Lahore and Mooltan.

Every practicable precaution will be taken to guard against wet, but as there are numerous unbridged streams and rivers to be crossed, all packages for transmission by the Train should be *water-proof.*

G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W. P.

Dated Camp, Lucknow,
the 7th May, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

The Public Bill Form bearing the printed No. 2,74,700, having been found to be missing from the Beerbhoom Treasury, is hereby cancelled; and Officers in charge of Treasuries are cautioned to refuse acceptance of it, if presented, taking the requisite steps for the apprehension of the parties concerned in negotiating it.

R. P. HARRISON,
Offg. Acct. Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, Office of
Acct. Govt. of Bengal,
The 29th April, 1858.

The foregoing Notification is republished for the information and guidance of Treasury Officers under the Punjab Administration, from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 1st instant.

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

17th May, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 17TH MAY, 1858.

No. 388.—The rule under which an English Writer on 40 Rs. per mensem is sanctioned to Captains of Police in the Punjab, is extended to Lieutenants of Police.

LAHORE, 18TH MAY, 1858.

OUDE POLICE.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 389.—Lieut. G. S. Bradford, 62nd N. I., is appointed to the charge of 7 Companies of Police raised at Lahore for service in Oude. Lieut. Bradford will draw a Staff salary of Rs. 200 per mensem while so employed.

This order to have effect from the 7th May 1858.

4TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 390.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room promoted.
Jemadars.			
Soojawul Khan,......	Subadar,	1st May, 1858,	Subadar Gurmet Sing, transferred to 1st Oude Police Battalion.
Elahie Bux, ...	ditto,	ditto,	" Mhaitab Khan, do. 2nd ditto.
Havildars.			
Peer Bux, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	Jemadar Sham Sing, do. 1st ditto.
Golaub Shah,...... ..	ditto,	ditto,	" Hakim Sing, do. 2nd ditto.
Chunda Sing,.........	ditto,	ditto,	" Soojawul Khan, promoted.
Nihal Sing,............	ditto,	ditto,	" Elahie Bux, do.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 391.—The Regimental Order by Captain W. J. F. Stafford, Commanding, dated 30th ultimo, appointing Lieut. and Officiating Adjutant R. Gibson to act as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, in room of Captain E. Ouseley, nominated to officiate in the Quarter Master General's Department, is confirmed.

13TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 392.—Delhi Brigade order dated 10th April 1858, by Brigadier Longfield, C. B., commanding, appointing Ensign J. B. Smith, doing duty with the 4th Sikh Infantry, to do duty with the Right Wing 13th Punjab Infantry, is confirmed.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 393.—Subadar Mehtab Sing to be Native Adjutant from this date.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 394.—The following Regimental orders dated 26th ultimo, by Captain S. Browne, commanding, are confirmed :—

1. Appointing Lieut. R. A. Chadwick, 5th Madras N. I., doing duty, to act as 2nd in command, with effect from 7th idem, in room of Captain Probyn, proceeded on leave.

2. Appointing Lieut R. B. Campbell, 59th N. I., doing duty, to act as Adjutant as a temporary arrangement, with effect from 23rd March 1858, *vice* Lieut. MacDonnel killed in action.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 395.—Kote Duffadar Baz Khan, to be Jemadar in room of Jemadar Secunder Shah, struck off.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 396. PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Ressaidar.			
Ukwak Sing, ...	Ressaldar,	1st April, 1858,	Ressaldar Muthradoss, transferred to the 9th Punjab Police Battalion.
Naib Ressaldar.			
Goolab Sing, Bahadoor,	Ressaidar,	ditto,	Ressaidar Ukwak Sing, promoted.
Jemadar.			
Ameer Ally Shah,...	Naib Ressaldar,	ditto,	Naib Ressaldar Goolab Sing Bahadoor, promoted.
Kote Duffadar.			
Jewun Sing, ...	Jemadar,	ditto,	Jemadar Ameer Ally Shah, promoted.

19TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 397.—Lieut. J. R. Currie, of the 4th Native Infantry, to be Adjutant, in room of Lieut. Chalmers, transferred to another appointment.

LAHORE DIVISION MOUNTED POLICE.

PROMOTION.

No. 398.—Duffadar Goordut Singh, to be Jemadar in room of Jemadar Mucksoodun Singh, transferred to the Umballa Mounted Police, with effect from 15th March 1858.

16TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 399.—Umballa Brigade order, dated 28th April 1858, by Brigadier Steel, Commanding, appointing Lieut. J. N. B. Hewett, doing duty 4th Seikh Infantry, to officiate as Adjutant 16th Punjab Infantry, in room of Lieut. Lance, removed to another appointment, is confirmed, as a temporary arrangement.

1ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 400.—Jemadar Gamah Khan is summarily dismissed the service for misconduct, from date of receipt of this order at the Head Quarters of the Regiment.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 401.—Regimental order dated 16th March 1858, by Lieut. Williamson, Commanding, appointing Lieut. and Adjutant T. E. Vander Gucht to officiate as 2nd in Command; and Lieut. T. M. Green, H. M.'s 70th Foot, to officiate as Adjutant, consequent on Lieut. T. L. Roberts having proceeded on leave on Medical certificate, is confirmed.

HOOSHEARPORE LEVY.

No. 402.—Buglers Kadir Buksh and Mahomed Khan, 33rd Native Infantry, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner by Sirhind Division Order, No. 152, dated 4th May 1858, are appointed to the Hooshearpore Levy.

1ST SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 403.—Major D. M. Probyn, to be Commandant.

Captain the Hon'ble F. A. J. Chichester to act as Commandant during the absence on leave of Major Probyn.

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

Lieut. J. R. Aikman, to be 2d in Command, and Lieut. C. F. Battye, 33rd N. I., to be Adjutant.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

Lieut. F. Lance, to officiate as Adjutant.

16TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Lieut. C. M. Pym, H. M.'s 75th, to officiate as Adjutant.

24TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Captain C. F. Browne, H. M.'s 35th Regiment, to officiate as Commandant, during the absence of Lieut. Gulliver.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Punjab Commission :—

To be Deputy Commissioners, 1st Class.

Mr. G. Ouseley ; Mr. F. Cooper ; Major R. Taylor and Mr. E. Prinsep.

To be Deputy Commissioners, 2nd Class.

Mr. H. B. Henderson ; Captain B. T. Reid ; Mr. J. Naesmyth and Mr. R. E. Egerton.

To be Deputy Commissioners, 3rd, Class.

Capt. J. M. Cripps ; Capt. J. M. Bristow ; Capt. H. Mackenzie and Capt. W. R. Eliott.

To be Assistant Commissioners, 1st Class.

Mr. S. Hogg ; Lieut. J. B. Smyly ; Capt. W. Paske and Capt. R. H. D. Tulloh.

To be Assistant Commissioners, 2nd Class.

Mr. D. Macnabb ; Mr. B. Hardinge ; Lieut. J. B. Parsons and Lieut. A. A. Munro.

APPOINTMENTS.

General Dept. No. 991, dated 20th May, 1858.

Doobey Buldeo Pershad, to act on probation as an Extra Assistant Commissioner in the Sirsa District.

Judicial Dept., No. 316-8, dated 22nd May, 1858.

Capt. R. P. Hockin, Commanding 2nd Seikh Irregular Cavalry, to be a Member of the Commission assembled at Delhi for the trial of offenders under Acts XIV. XVI. and XVIII. of 1857, in succession to Captain Rothney, with effect from the 7th May, 1858.

The appointment by the Chief Commissioner of Captain D. Mocatta, to be Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Sealkote, has been confirmed by the Supreme Government.

POWERS.

General Dept., No. 1010, dated 22nd May, 1858.

Mr. C. Lindsay, Assistant Commissioner of Goorgaon, has been vested with the special powers of an Assistant.

LEAVE.

The leave granted to Mr. C. T. LeBas, late Judge of Delhi, for six months, on Medical Certificate, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 8th May, 1858, is to have effect from the *20th April*, 1858.

TRANSFER.

Mr. H. Scott, Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor, from the Sinde to the Baree Doab Survey.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following Notification of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General in the Home Department, No. 122, dated 11th May, 1858, is published for general information :—

It has been brought to the notice of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, that leave of absence is freely granted to Officers, both Civil and Military, by the Governments of Madras and Bombay, and that some instances of the same kind have occurred in Bengal, the Punjab, and elsewhere.

It is therefore notified, that the prohibition against the granting of leave of absence, save in cases of certified illness, to Officers of the Government, whether Civil or Military, is in full force ; and is to be strictly observed by all subordinate Governments, and by the Heads of the Local Administration under the Foreign Department of the Government of India.

In the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay, leave may be given to any place within the Presidency.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India.

(Signed) G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secretary to the Government of India with the Governor General.

(True copy.)
R. TEMPLE
Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following order by the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General, is re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor-General's Camp, for general information :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

ALLAHABAD, THE 11TH MAY, 1858.

No. 983.

The Governor General is pleased to appoint the Reverend L. Poynder, to be Chaplain of Delhie.

(True copy.)
R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

NOTICE.

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G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W. P.

Dated Camp, Lucknow, the 6th May, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 21ST MAY, 1858.

ERRATUM.

Punjab Order No. 386, dated 15th instant, page 126, promoting Havildar Noor Elahie, for "*Sealkote*" read *Jhelum Levy.*

LAHORE, 22ND MAY, 1858.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 404.—Lieut. R. B. P. P. Campbell, 59th Regiment Native Infantry, to do duty.

No. 405.—Sowar Manowur Khan, erroneously struck off the strength of the Regiment as a Deserter, will be re-enrolled without prejudice to his former service, or arrears of pay.

6TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 406.—Lieut. G. F. M. Phillips is permitted to resign his appointment, as doing Duty Officer.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 407.—Regimental Order, dated 30th April 1858, by Major Vaughan, appointing Brevet Captain W. D. Hoste, Officiating 2nd in Command to officiate as Adjutant, in addition to his other duties, consequent on Lieut. and Adjutant Stone's removal to another appointment, is confirmed.

3RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 408.—Regimental Order, dated 9th April 1858, by Captain Henderson, Commanding, making over command of the Regiment, preparatory to proceeding on leave on Medical Certificate, to Captain A. W. F. Ruxton, 2nd in Command, and directing Lieut. and Adjutant J. Gillespie to officiate as 2nd in Command, and Ensign G. A. Way, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant, is confirmed.

4TH SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 409.—The following Regimental Orders by Major Rothney, Commanding, are confirmed:—

1.—Dated 31st March last, permitting Captain E. L. Dennys, Officiating 2nd in Command, to resign his appointment; and appointing Lieut. W. H. Phillips, doing duty, to act as 2nd in Command, in his room.

2.—Dated 11th April last, appointing Lieut. W. H. Phillips, to officiate as Commandant; and Lieut. G. B. Stainforth, to officiate as 2nd in Command, in addition to his duties as Adjutant, consequent on Major Rothney's having been directed to remain at Delhi as Member of the Special Commission.

SEALKOTE LEVY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 410.—Havildars Kurrum Sing and Hurjan to be Jemadars from this date.

1ST SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 411.—Lieut. the Hon'ble F. A. J. Chichester, 2nd in Command, and officiating Commandant, is permitted to resign his appointment.

APPOINTMENT.

Brevet Major J. C. Phillips, 3rd European Regiment, 2nd in Command, 18th Irregular Cavalry, is appointed officiating Commandant in room of Lieut. Chichester.

No. 412.—The undermentioned men, who deserted from their Regiments, having, under peculiar circumstances, been pardoned by the authorities in Oude, and permitted to return to their homes in the Punjab, are declared ineligible for re-enlistment or further employment under Government; and Officers recruiting are enjoined to guard against entertaining them:—

Number.	Names.	Father's Name.	Residence. Village.	Residence. Pergunnah.	Residence. District.	Corps from which deserted.	REMARKS.
1	Wuzeer Singh, ..	Jaimal Singh, ..	Tunnoee, ..	Buttala, ..	Umritsur, ..	1st Oude Irregular Cavalry under Captain Daly, ..	Was a Naib Ressaldar when he deserted.
2	Runjod Singh, ..	Ummur Singh, ..	Mundiala, ..	Patti, ..	Lahore, ..	Ditto,	Was a Jemadar.
3	Boodh Singh, ..	Beer Singh, ..	Kulloar, ..	Roopur, ..	Umballa, ..	Regt. Loodiana, ..	Was a Kote Havildar.
4	Buchun Singh, ..	Futteh Singh, ..	Mundiala, ..	Patti, ..	Lahore, ..	1st Oude Irr. Cavy. under Capt. Daly.	
5	Run Singh, ..	Chunda Singh, ..	Joga, ..	Pikhee, ..	Putteeala, ..	12th Irregular Cavalry.	
6	Gunda Singh, ..	Humeer Singh, ..	Sejadah, ..	Dadunwala, ..	Sealkote, ..	1st Oude Irr. Cavy. under Capt. Daly	
7	Heera Singh 1st. ..	Dul Singh, ..	Bul, ..	Soaree, ...	Umritsur, ..	Ditto.	
8	Juggut Singh, ..	Wuzeer Singh, ..	Mundiala, ..	Putti, ..	Lahore, ..	Ditto.	
9	Jowalla Singh 2nd, ..	Nedan Singh, ..	Oogokay, ..	Turn Tarun, ..	Umritsur, ..	Ditto.	
10	Utter Singh 1st, ..	Ameer Singh, ..	Sobuja, ..	Ditto,	Ditto,	Ditto.	
11	Delail Singh 1st, ..	Nutha Singh, ..	Khoolee, ..	Adaiah, ..	Putteeala, ...	2nd Oude Irr. Cavl., (Gall's.) ..	
12	Utter Singh 2nd, ..	Dul Singh, ..	Kurrahlee, ..	Kurahlee, ..	Ditto,	Ditto.	
13	Sahib Singh, ..	Sookha Singh, ..	Putteeala, ..	Puttiala, ...	Ditto,	Ditto.	
14	Munna Singh, ..	Humeer Singh, ..	Kunohlee, ..	Roopur, ..	Ditto,	Ditto.	
15	Wuzeer Singh 2nd, ..	Jowahir Singh, ..	Kheeree, ..	Ladwa, ..	Thanesur, ..	3rd Oude Irregular Cavalry.	
16	Heera Singh 2nd, ..	Mirza, ..	Khowas Poora, ..	Turn Tarun, ..	Umritsur, ..	Daly's Regiment.	
17	Bootah Singh, ..	Soojan Singh, ..	Soorson, ..	Ferozepoor, ..	Ferozepore, ..	22nd Regiment N. I.	
18	Khooshyal Singh, ..	Lukha Singh, ..	Gurmoola, ..	Seikhoopoora, ..	Goojranwalla, ..	Ditto.	
19	Purtab Singh, ..	Ruttun Singh, ..	Tinguewalla, ..	Hursobadh. ..	Ditto,	Ditto.	
20	Chunda Singh 1st, ..	Sahib Singh, ..	Jatee Oomra, ..	Bassowa, ..	Umritsur, ..	9th Oude Infantry.	
21	Nehal Singh 1st, ..	Goolab Singh, ..	Gurmoola, ..	Seikhoopoora, ..	Goojranwalla, ..	22nd Regiment N. I.	
22	Lullee Khan, ..	Gamay Khan, ..	Mudokay, ..	Mogah, ..	Ferozpore, ..	Ditto.	
23	Ummer Singh 2nd, ..	Tiloke Singh, ..	Lopokay, ..	Ditto,	Ditto,	Ditto.	
24	Prem Singh, ..	Koom Singh, ..	Rumekay, ..	Sairpoor, ..	Putteeala, ..	13th Regiment N. I.	
25	Jeta Singh, ..	Sahib Singh, ..	Jainpore, ..	Umeergurh. ..	Ditto,	22nd „ „	
26	Soonder Singh 2nd, ..	Koom Singh, ..	Mour, ..	Adaiah, ..	Ditto,	13th „ „	
27	Delail Singh, ..	Phoola Singh, ..	Bundur, ..	Butinda, ..	Ditto,	22nd „ „	
28	Chayt Singh, ..	Chur Singh, ..	Lopokay, ..	Turn Tarun, ..	Umritsur, ..	71st „ „	
29	Ram Singh 2nd, ..	Jussa Singh, ..	Joolaor, ..	Serpoor, ..	Putteeala, ..	13th „ „	
30	Punjab Singh, ..	Dul Singh, ..	Painee, ..	Adaiah, ..	Ditto,	13th „ „	
31	Chuba Singh, ..	Maan Singh, ..	Sudda, ..	Seirpoor, ..	Ditto,	13th „ „	
32	Jumeet Singh, ..	Doolah Singh, ..	Pundooree, ..	Umritsur, ..	Umritsur, ..	22nd „ „	
33	Jewan Singh, ..	Mohahut Singh, ...	Maja, ..	Todah, ..	Putteeala, ..	22nd „ „	
34	Nihal Sing 2nd, ..	Noop Singh, ..	Puuttaepoor, ..	Umritsur, ..	Umritsur, ..	Sowar 1st Oude Irr. Cav. (Daly's)	
35	Futteh Singh 1st, ..	Beer Singh, ..	Kheree. ..	Dodeh, ..	Putteeala, ..	Sepoy Loodiana Regt.	
36	Goormook Singh, ..	Himwunt Singh, ..	Tillow, ..	Adaiah, ..	Ditto,	Sepoy 13th N. I.	
37	Purah Khan, ..	Soojswun, ..	Dewallee, ..	Kattoo Mungal, ..	Umritsur, ..	Sowar 1st Oude Irr. Cav. (Daly's)	
38	Raiee Singh, ..	Bhoomia Singh, ..	Hameergurh, ..	Moonk, ..	Putteeala, ...	Sepoy Loodiana Regt.	
39	Tara Singh, ..	Bhag Singh, ..	Narungbad, ..	Mukowal, ..	Loodiana, ..	Sepoy 7th N. I.	
40	Bhoop Singh, ..	Nutha Singh. ..	Lopokay, ..	Budnee, ..	Ferozepore, ..	2nd Regt N. I.	
41	Meer Fuzul Ally Khan, ..	Goolam Hoosein. ..	Resident of Kagzee Mohullah, city Peshawur ..			12th Punjab Cavalry.	

No 413.—Under the authority of the Government of India, a Regiment of Goorkhas will be immediately raised and added to the Punjab Irregular Force.

2. This Regiment will be designated the 25th Punjab Infantry, or Huzara Goorkha Battalion.

3. All Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, Sepoys and Buglers, at present borne as Goorkhas on the Rolls of the Regiments noted in the margin, are to be transferred to form the nucleus of this Corps.

4th Regt. Sikh Infy.
Corps of Guides (Infantry.)
24th Regt. of Punjab Infy.
9th Punjab Police Battalion.

4. The Corps will be ordinarily cantoned in Huzara, and the Native Officers and Soldiers will be encouraged to locate their families there; but it is to be thoroughly understood that it is raised for general service in the Punjab, and the Trans-Indus Provinces under British rule, as well as beyond these limits, should the exigencies of the service require it.

5. The establishment and allowances to be the same as laid down for Corps of Punjab Infantry; and the Regiment will be placed on the same footing as the other Infantry Corps of the Punjab Irregular Force, as regards Pensions, Service, Wounds and Family.

6. No additional Batta will be allowed whilst marching, or on Field Service, but carriage for the Baggage of the Native Officers and Men will be supplied at the Public Expense, according to the scale sanctioned for Regiments of Punjab Infantry.

7. The Battalion will be armed with Rifles; and will be dressed in Green.

8. A full proportion of Camp Equipage and Cattle Establishment will be attached to the Corps.

9. The transfers to the new Battalion to be paid up to the date on which they are struck off the strength of their present Corps. They are to be marched to Abbottabad without loss of time, under the command of the Senior Native Officer, or Non-Commissioned Officer. Native Officers and Soldiers having families, should have every assistance rendered to them in obtaining the necessary carriage.

10. Numerical Returns (of men transferred) to be forwarded to the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, and to the Staff Officer, Punjab Irregular Force.

11. The transfers will retain their Arms and Accoutrements now in use, until other arrangements can be made for arming them.

12. Emergent Indents for Arms, Accoutrements, Camp Equipage, &c., (for the new Corps), to be forwarded to the Staff Officer, Punjab Irregular Force.

13. The Native Officers and Men should be allowed to take their clothing with them; and the Regiment is to be considered entitled to Bounty Clothing.

14. The first Pay Abstracts of the new Regiment will be forwarded to the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner for countersignature, afterwards they will be transmitted direct to the Deputy Pay Master, Rawul Pindee Circle.

15. Officers transferring Goorkhas, will take immediate steps to fill up the vacancies, being careful to maintain the proportion of races laid down in *Punjab Gazette*, No. 1, dated 12th August, 1857.

16. The following appointments are made subject to confirmation:—

Lieut. C. J. Nicholson, 2nd in Command, 2nd Punjab Cavalry, to be Commandant.

Captain H. F. M. Boisragon, Lieut. of Police, to be second in Command, and to officiate as Commandant, during the absence of Lieut. Nicholson, or until further orders.

Captain D. K. Presgrave, 59th N. I., to be Lieutenant of Police, Umballa, *vice* Captain Boisragon, appointed to another situation.

W. WYLD, *Captain*,
Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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No. 24. **Wednesday, May 26, 1858.** Vol. 2.

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

TRANSFERS.

Mr. W. B. Jones, Assistant Commissioner, from the Goojrat to the Jhelum district.

Mr. C. Aitchison, Assistant Commissioner, from the Lahore to the Goojrat district.

Lieut. J. W. H. Johnstone, Assist. Commissioner, from the Umballa to the Thanesur district.

POWERS.

Lieutenant E. H. Paske, Assistant Commissioner of Jullunder, is vested with the special powers of an Assistant.

DISMISSALS.

The undermentioned Native Officers, late of the 3rd Oude Irregular Cavalry, and dismissed for desertion, and precluded from further employment in the service of Government.

Jemadar Shazada Mahomed Sooltan Sad.
Naib Resaldar Shazada Mahomed Sooltan Shwaib.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following General Order by the Hon'ble the President in Council, is re-published from the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information :—

No. 1877.

FORT WILLIAM, FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

The 14th May, 1858.

The G. O. dated 23d March last, No. 1273, appointing the Reverend R. M. Price to officiate as Chaplain of Sealkote, is cancelled; and that gentleman is appointed to officiate as Chaplain of Jullundur.

(True copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General are republished from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's Camp for general information :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

No. 1220.

Allahabad, the 17th May, 1858.

The Governor General is pleased to appoint Messrs. G. Knox and G. Wakefield, to be Assistant Commissioners of the 3d class in the Punjab.

No. 1269.

Allahabad, the 19th May, 1858.

The Governor General has been pleased to appoint the Reverend H. Murray to be Chaplain at Meean Meer.

No. 1296.

Missur Munnoolal, Deputy Collector of the 3rd class, in the Delhi Territory, is promoted to the 2nd grade of Extra Assistants, with effect from the 1st ultimo.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 25TH MAY, 1858.

1ST SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 414.—Brevet Major C. H. Barchard, late 20th N. I., to be officiating 2nd in Command, in the room of Lieut. the Hon'ble F. A. J. Chichester, resigned.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 415.—Lahore Brigade order dated 8th May 1858, by Brigadier Corbett, Commanding,

appointing Assistant Surgeon J. C. Penny, M. D., doing duty with the 1st Troop 2nd Brigade Horse Artillery, to the Medical charge of the 21st Punjab Infantry, in room of Surgeon J. H Butler, F. R. C. S., 9th Light Cavalry, is confirmed, as a temporary arrangement.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 416.—Assistant Surgeon A. J. Gee, to the Medical charge, in the room of Surgeon J. Wilson, transferred to the 4th Seikh Irregular Cavalry.

19TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 417.—Regimental order dated 12th May 1858, by Captain J. Doran, Commanding, assuming charge of the Adjutant's office, consequent on the removal of Lieut. W. G. Chalmers to another appointment, is confirmed.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 418.—Captain R. Ouseley, officiating 2nd in Command, to officiate as Commandant from the 6th instant, in room of Captain Stafford, appointed to the 4th Punjab Infantry.

JHELUM LEVY.

TRANSFER.

No. 419.—Jemadar Mokumdeen as Subadar, and Havildar Paul Sing as Jemadar, from the 1st Punjab Police Battalion.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 420.—Brevet Captain H. King, *39th* Native Infantry, to officiate as 2nd in Command, with effect from the date he joined.

7TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 421.—Regimental order dated 15th May 1858, by Captain J. F. Stafford, Commanding, appointing Lieut. H. C. J. Jarrett, Supernumerary, to do duty, in room of Lieut. J. W. H. Johnstone, removed to another appointment, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 26TH MAY, 1858.

No. 422.—With the concurrence of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the following relief of corps is directed :—

Corps.	From.	To.	When to march.
1st Punjab Infantry, ...	On service in Hindoostan,	Peshawur,..	As the Commander-in-Chief may direct.
2nd Punjab Infantry, ...	ditto,	Ferozepore, ...	ditto.
4th Punjab Infantry, ...	ditto,	Rawulpindee, ..	ditto.
2nd Seikh Infantry, ...	Abbottabad,..	Jhelum leaving detachment at Murree,........	On arrival of Head Quarters and Wing 4th Seikh Infantry.
9th Punjab Infantry, ...	Peshawur, ...	Umballa (and there to receive further instructions from the Commander-in-Chief,)	As Major General Sir S. Cotton may direct.
12th Punjab Infantry, ...	Rawulpindee, ..	Jullundur, ...	On arrival of 4th Punjab Infantry at Rawulpindee.
19th Punjab Infantry, ...	Jullundur, ...	Umballa (and there receive instructions from the Commander-in-Chief,)	On arrival of 12th Punjab Infantry.
20th Punjab Infantry, ...	Ferozepore, ...	ditto, ditto,	On arrival of 2nd Punjab Infantry.

2.—Attention is called to Punjab order No. 225, dated 5th March, 1858, and officers commanding Regiments marching down country will not fail to make the usual reports of progress to the Quarter Master General of the Army, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

P. W. Dept, No. 789-90, dated 29th May, 1858.

Lieut. F. J. Gully, Executive Engineer 3rd Class, to take charge of the Rawul Pindee Section of the Lahore and Peshawur Road, vice Captain R. S. Colls, ordered to rejoin his Regiment.

LEAVE.

Reve. Dept., No. 452 3. dated 29th May, 1858.

Mr. C. C. Smyth, Deputy Collector of Salt Revenue, Khewra Division, for two months from 10th May, 1858, on medical certificate, in extension of the leave notified in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 3rd April, 1858.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

No. 2546.

EXTRACT from a Despatch from the Hon. the Court of Directors, addressed to the Govt. of India in the Finl. Dept., No. 13 of 1858, dated 3rd Mar.

Letter from dated 10th September, 1857, No. 125.

Reporting Proceedings in this Department for the 1st Quarter of 1857.

314 and 315.—The Chief Commissioner of the Punjab has been informed, that personal security for any retrenchments that may be issued, is considered sufficient to be taken from Uncovenanted Servants, permitted to draw allowances during authorized absence.

Para. 59.—This Rule, for taking security from Uncovenanted Servants, is of course applicable only to the allowances which they may be entitled to receive during any *sick* leave taken under the Regulations.

Copy of the above para. forwarded to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab for information and guidance.

(Sd.) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William, Finl. Dept., The 28th April, 1858.

Copy of the above published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 29TH MAY, 1858.

3RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 423—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Havildars.			
Bissessur Missir, ..	Jemadar,	1st August, 1857,	Jemadar Foujdar Khan promoted.
Summund, ...	ditto,	ditto,	Ditto Ram Singh, ditto.
Dogur Singh, ...	ditto,	ditto,	For the augmentation.
Ghazee Khan, ...	ditto,	ditto,	Ditto.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 424.—The Officer Commanding is authorized to entertain 100 men in excess of the Establishment.

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

1 Ressaldar.
1 Rissaidar.
2 Naib Ressaldars.
2 Jemadars.
2 Kote Duffadars.
16 Duffadars.
2 Nishanburdars.
2 Trumpeters and
209 Sowars.

No. 425.—An Extra Ressalla, strength as per margin, is sanctioned. This order to have retrospective effect.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 426.—With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Drummer John Hurley is transferred from the 6th Native Infantry to the above Corps.

HOOSHEARPORE MOUNTED LEVY.

TRANSFER.

No. 427.—Sowar Kasim Ally, from the 5th Ressalla, Lahore Mounted Police, to be Jemadar.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 428.—Havildars Poordil Khan and Dowlut Ram to be Jemadars, to fill existing vacancies, with effect from the 23rd January and 8th February 1858, respectively.

No. 429.—Native Doctors Shaikh Azuf and Topun, having been placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, by Lahore Division Order, No. 176, dated 11th May 1858, are posted, the former to the 10th Punjab Infantry at Dera Ismael Khan, and the latter to the 15th (Pioneer) Regiment Punjab Infantry at Googaira.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 430.—Regimental Order dated 17th May 1858, by Lieut. J. Williamson, Commanding, directing Brevet Captain H. King, Officiating 2nd in Command, to officiate as Adjutant, in addition to his other duties, in room of Lieut. J. M. Green, H. M.'s 70th Foot, struck off, is confirmed.

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 431—With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bugler Ghasee Ram, from the late 51st Regiment Native Infantry.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 432.—Lieut. C. E. Farquharson, 6th Light Cavalry, to do duty, as a Supernumerary.

ERRATUM.

No. 433.—That portion of para. 3, P. O. No. 413, dated 22d May, directing transfers to the 25th or Goorkah Regiment, as per margin, is cancelled. The following is to be substituted:—

"4th Regt. Sikh Inf."
"Corps of Guides Inf."
"24th Regt. Punjab Inf."
"9th Punjab Police Battn."

Four Regiments Sikh Infantry.
Corps of Guides (Infantry).
Twenty-four Regiments Punjab Infantry.
Nine Punjab Police Battalions.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Offg. Asst. Mily. Secretary.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

P. W. Dept., No. 803-4, dated 1st June, 1858.

Mr. W. Willmot, Executive Engineer, Lahore Division, for 6 months on Medical Certificate, from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

APPOINTMENTS.

P. W. Dept., No. 803-4, dated 1st June, 1858.

Lieut. A. Bayley, Assistant Engineer, Jullundur Division, to officiate as Executive Engineer of Lahore, during the absence of Mr. W. Willmot on sick leave.

Lieut. M. Elliot, Assistant Revenue Surveyor, Baree Doab Survey, joined his appointment on the 25th May, 1858.

PROMOTIONS.

The Supreme Government have been pleased to sanction the promotion of Mr. H. Shaw, Assistant Patrol, Sutlej Preventive Line, to the rank of a 3rd class Patrol, on a salary of Rs. 300 per mensem, *vice* Mr. E. J. Davis, deceased.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

No. OF 1858-59.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab,*

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER *of*

Dated Lahore, 31*st May*, 1858.

Circular No. 20. Resource.

SIR,—Observing that a diversity of practice exists in many Treasuries, in respect to the manner of preparing the Monthly Estimates of Probable Receipts and Disbursements, arising, in some cases, from a misapprehension of the object which it is intended to serve, I have the honor to request your future attention to the following instructions :—

2*nd*.—The object of the return being to present a well considered statement of the prospects of every Treasury, and of the expected Cash Balance at the close of each month, so that timely measures may be taken to meet demands ; no sum of probable receipt or disbursement should be omitted, but every item be entered under one or other of the heads contained in the Form of Estimate.

3*rd*.—The *actual* receipts and disbursements of the preceding month of the current year must be given in the columns of "actual ;" and the *probable* for the current and three succeeding months, estimated with the greatest care, and formed from the best sources of information procurable, should be entered in the columns appropriated to that purpose. In framing the estimate, the Kistbundees of the Land Revenue, Abkary, and all contracts, showing a fixed demand, should be carefully consulted and due attention paid to the average receipts and charges of the four preceding months.

4*th*.—Whenever it may be found necessary to estimate the receipts and disbursements, on any account, at much more or much less than the average *actual* of the transactions of past months, notes should be appended to the return, or a letter transmitted therewith, explanatory of the circumstances that warrant a greater or less than ordinary expectation of either receipt or payment ; such explanations are calculated to obviate much correspondence, and are necessary to put the Accountant in possession of facts likely to affect the resources of the particular district.

5*th*.—The prospective increase or diminution of the military at any station, and every anticipated alteration of circumstances which may influence the receipt, or expenditure, of the ensuing month, or year, with reference to those of the preceding, should be duly reflected on, and allowed for, in the preparation of this statement. Land Revenue, Abkary, and other ordinary receipts on account of past months, not yet realized, as wel

as disbursements belonging to the past months, unpaid, must not be lost sight of.

6th.—There is no head of Inefficient Balance in this return; all items, therefore, of current disbursements, which in the Treasury account for the month preceding that for which the estimate is furnished would be exhibited under that head, must in the estimate be distributed in the "Actual Columns" under the various heads of account or departments to which they would have been debited in the body of the Treasury account had they formed *bona fide* items of charge. The object of the Actual Column is to show the Actual *Cash* receipts and disbursements of the month represented in it; all items of mere adjustment should therefore be carefully excluded from it. In other words, the Column should show the exact amount of coin that has flowed in and out of the Treasury, during the period indicated.

7th.—The opening Balance of the current month should represent the actual cash in the Sudder and Tehseel Treasuries, on the last day of the previous month; and this may be effected by requiring the Tehseeldars to despatch at the close of the month to the Sudder Office a memorandum of the sum remaining in their Tehseels, or in transit to the Sudder Treasury; and on receipt of this memorandum, the requisite entry should be made in the estimate, and that document despatched, although the cash may not, at the time, have actually reached the Treasury. By this arrangement, it will seldom be necessary to delay the despatch of the estimate beyond the 5th of the month, and the Cash Balance shown in it in the Actual Columns will always correspond with the amount reported in the Monthly Cash Balance Reports.

8th.—Fractional parts of a rupee must be omitted, as an estimate does not demand the minute accuracy which their exhibition would indicate.

9th.—In the exhibition of the Remittances expected to be made or received, the Station to, or from, which they are to be remitted, as well as the Estimated Amount, and the probable dates of despatch or receipt should be indicated. Whenever a deficiency of funds is anticipated, it should be specifically shown, and not inferentially by the term "Cash Remittances," when no other reason than the expected deficit exists to justify the anticipation of such remittances.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office,
Lahore,
The 31*st May*, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 1ST JUNE 1858.

4TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 434—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Gholam Russool Khan,	Naib Ressaldar,	30th March, 1858,	Naib Ressaldar Asud-ool-lah Khan resigned.
Kote Duffadar.			
Kurreem-oo-deen Khan,	Jemadar,	ditto,	Jemadar Gholam Russool Khan promoted.

8TH POLICE BATTALION.

No. 435.—In continuation of P. O. No. 186, dated 19th February, the Battalion of Police at Delhi, under the command of Lieutenant T. Staples, is, with the sanction of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General brought on the strength of the Punjab Police Force, and designated the 8th Battalion.

19TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 436.—Ensign C. D. P. Nott, 64th N. I., to do duty.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 437.—Woordie Major Ressaidar Shere-Jehan-Khan, from the 1st Punjab Cavalry, as Ressaldar, in room of Ressaldar Pigot, cashiered.

3RD PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 438.—Regimental Order, dated 3rd February, 1858, by Captain Gell, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant and Adjutant G. B. Crispin to act as 2nd in command, Lieutenant A. F. Danvers, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant, and Lieut. J. P. Burton, Supernumerary, to do duty, consequent on the departure of Lieutenant and

Officiating 2nd in command W. Davison, is confirmed.

GUIDE CORPS.

No. 439.—Regimental Order dated 1st May, 1858 by Lieutenant T. G. Kennedy, officiating 2nd in command, assuming command; and making the following appointments, consequent on the removal of Major Daly, C. B., to the command of Hodson's Horse, is confirmed, with effect from the 12th March last:—

Lieutenant C. W. Hawes, Adjutant and Officiating Commandant of Cavalry, to be officiating 2nd in command.

Lieutenant E. E. B. Bond, Officiating Adjutant, to be Officiating Commandant of Cavalry.

Lieutenant H. C. E. Ward, doing duty, to be Officiating Adjutant.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 440.—Subadar Jowahir Singh is permitted to resign the service.

1ST SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 441.—Regimental Order, dated 11th May, 1858, by Lieutenant the Honourable F. A J. Chichester, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant A. Montgomerie, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant, in room of Lieutenant C. Stewart, removed to another appointment, is confirmed.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 442.—The discharge from the service of Jemadar Secunder Shah, published in Punjab Order, No. 217, dated 4th March, 1858, will date from the 31st January, 1857.

DELHI DIVISION MOUNTED POLICE.

PROMOTION.

No. 443.—Jemadar Chutter Singh, to be Ressaldar, and Duffadar Bhood Sing, to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment from this date.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 444.—Subadar Feroze Khan is permitted to resign the service.

16TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 445.—Native Doctor Rumgoleel, having been placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, by Lahore Divison Order, No. 177, dated 11th May, 1858, is posted to the 16th Punjab Infantry at Umballah.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 446.—With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the undermentioned men are transferred from the 49th Regiment Native Infantry to the 21st Punjab Infantry.

Drummer John Wilkins.
" R. Nolan.
" F. Wilkins.
" J. Joachim.
" R. Webb and
Sepoy Musician Meer Sobrutally.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 447.—The leave of absence granted to Lieut. T. E. VanderGucht, in Punjab Order, No. 329, dated 15th April, is to have effect from the 15th May, instead of the date therein notified.

No. 448.—Regimental Order dated 9th May, 1858, by Lieut. Williamson, Commanding, directing Lieut. J. M. Green to continue to officiate as Adjutant in room of Lieut. VanderGucht, incapacitated by wounds received in action, is confirmed.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 449.—Jowaher Singh, to be Jemadar to complete the Establishment, with effect from the 1st May, 1858.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 450.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Bagh Sing, ...	Subadar,	4th May, 1858,	Subadar Dulloo Mull, killed in action.
Havildar.			
Boodh Sing, ...	Jemadar,	Ditto,	Jemadar Bagh Sing promoted.

CIS-SUTLEJ DIVISION MOUNTED POLICE.

PROMOTION.

No. 451.—Duffadar Maha Sing, to be Jemadar, in the room of Jemadar Bissen Sing, transferred to the Oude Mounted Police, with effect from 15th May, 1858.

4TH POLICE BATTALION.

No. 452.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Soobah,............ ...	Subadar,	15th May, 1858,	Subadar Gote Khan, transferred to the Oude Police.
Havildar.			
Jewun Sing, ...	Jemadar,	Ditto,	Jemadar Soobah promoted.

LAHORE AND MOOLTAN TRANSPORT TRAIN.

No. 453.—The Major General Commanding the Lahore Division having represented the inadequacy of the present arrangements for the conveyance of European troops, and for baggage and stores the following modification of the arrangements announced in P. O. No. 572, dated 31st December last, are authorized :—

1.—To avoid exposure to the sun of the European troops, six instead of four halting and victualling stations are sanctioned between Mooltan and Lahore, as follows :—

1st day—Leave Mooltan 5 P. M., for Kambeerwalla, 32 miles.

2nd day—Start at 7 P. M., for Tolumba, 24 miles.

3rd day—Start 6 P. M., for Chuchawutnee, distance 27 miles.

4th day—Start 5 P. M., for Kourieshah, distance 31 miles.

5th day—Start 6 P. M., for Choochuk, distance 34 miles.

6th day—Start for Nund Kana, distance 33 miles.

7th day.—Start 8 P. M., for Meean Meer, distance 25 miles.

2.—The following Extra Establishments are allowed for each of the new stations of Tolumba and Nund Kana :—

1 Staff Sergeant @ 20 Rs. Staff, 10 Rs. Horse allowance per mensem.

1 Mootsuddee @ 25 per mensem.

1 Peon @ 5 Rs. per mensem.

1 Weighman @ 5 ditto.

1 Head Cook @ 8 ditto

5 Ordinary Cooks @ 6 each ditto.

1 Bheesty @ 5 ditto.

3.—Cooking utensils, plates, knives, &c., as specified in the order above quoted, being provided at each halting place.

4.—Ten Extra Camels to be supplied at each stage ; making a total of 30 for each station.

5.—The Establishments for the victualling stations at Umritsur and Wuzeeraghat, sanctioned in P. O. No. 365, dated 4th ultimo, are modified to the extent specified below :—

Umritsur.

2 Cooks @ 5 Rs. per mensem instead of 3 @ 6 each.

1 Bheesty @ 4 Rs. per mensem to be entertained.

Wuzeeraghaut, Beas.

1 Peon at 4 instead of on 5 Rs. per mensem.

2 Cooks at 5 Rs. instead of 3 at 6 each ditto.

1 Bheesty at 4 Rs. per mensem to be entertained.

The stores, cooking utensils, plates, &c., as prescribed for the other victualling stations, are authorized for these two also.

6.—The above Establishments are sanctioned from the dates on which they were respectively engaged.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Offg. Asst. Mily. Secretary.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

TRANSFERS.

General Dept. No. 1113, dated 5th June, 1858.

Lieutenant J. C. Horne, Assistant Commissioner, from the Leia to the Dera Ismael Khan District.

Mr. L. Cowan, Extra Assistant, from the Dera Ismael Khan to the Leia District.

LEAVE.

General Dept. No. 1087-8, dated 3rd June, 1858.

The privilege leave for 15 days, granted to Mr. F. H. Cooper, Deputy Commissioner of Umritsur, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 3rd April 1858, has been cancelled at that Officer's request.

APPOINTMENT.

Judicial Dept. No. 358-9, dated 5th June 1858.

Subject to the confirmation of the Supreme Government, the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to appoint the Assistant Commissioner of Hissar to be *ex-officio* Registrar of Deeds in that District, as a temporary arrangement.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

NOTIFICATION.

Bills of Exchange having recently been drawn by the Buxar Treasury, it is hereby notified for the information of Treasury Officers under the Punjab Administration, that Buxar is in the District of Shahabad, the Collector of which at present holds his Cutchery and Treasury at Buxar. Such Bills should accordingly be honored, and charged under Remittances of the Revenue Department of the Government of Bengal.

JAS. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 2nd June, 1858.

No. of 1858-59.

From THE ACCOUNTANT PUNJAB,

Lahore,

To THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

of ______________

Dated Lahore, 31st May, 1858.

Circular No. 21.

Sir,—I have the honor to communicate, for your information and guidance, a Memorandum of the existing Loans of the Government of India, on which interest is now payable; and to request that you will be careful to adopt the designations given in respect of each loan, whenever you may have occasion to exhibit charges of interest in your Treasury Account.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. servant

JAS. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 31st May, 1858.

MEMORANDUM of Government Loans now in Existence.

Designation.	Date of Loan.	Period when Interest is payable.	
3½ per cent. of 1853-54, ...	28th February, 1854,	28th February,	31st August.
3rd, or 4 per cent. of 1832-33,... ...	1st May, 1832,	1st May,	1st November.
4th, or 4 per cent. of 1835-36, ...	31st March, 1836,	31st March,	30th September.
5th, or 4 per cent. of 1842-43, ...	1st February, 1843,	1st February,	1st August.
6th, or 4 per cent. of 1854-55, ...	30th June, 1854,	30th June,	31st December.
4½ per cent. of 1856-57, ...	28th February, 1857,	28th February,	31st August.
5 per cent. Public Works, ...	12th March, 1855,	31st March,	30th September.
5 per cent. of 1856-57, ...	28th Feby., 1856–57,	28th February,	31st August.

JAMES CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

No. of 1858-59.

From
THE ACCOUNTANT PUNJAB,
Lahore,

To
THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of ________

Dated Lahore, 31st May, 1858.

Circular No. 22.

SIR,—With reference to the Notification of the Director General of the Post Offices in India, of 15th September, 1857, published at page 1513 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 23rd idem, I have the honor to request that you will be careful to observe that discount on stamped envelopes and paper, is payable on the value of the stamps only, and not on the extra charge, which is added to cover the cost of the paper and manufacture.

2nd.—In affording credit for sales connected with such envelopes and paper, you will be good enough, not only to make a distinction between them and the ordinary postage labels, but also between the postal value of stamped envelopes and paper, and the extra charge on account of paper; your attention is, therefore, requested to the following form of credit, subordinate to remittance of the Post Office Department:—

TO POSTAGE STAMPS.

Value of postage labels sold in this month, ..		200 0 0	
Value of 1 anna postage envelopes,	50 0 0		
Add cost of paper, ..	6 4 0		
		56 4 0	
Value of ½ anna stamped paper, ..	25 0 0		
Add cost of paper, ..	12 8 0		
		37 8 0	
Value of ½ anna stamped envelopes,	25 0 0		
Add cost of paper, ..	6 4 0		
		31 4 0	
			325 0 0

3rd.—The charges of discount will be checked with the credits on account of the postage value of stamped paper and envelopes; and you will be good enough in preparing your bills or statements of discounts to distinguish between official vendors and private purchasers of stamps, the former receiving one anna, and the latter half an anna, on all purchases of five Rs. worth and upwards, in even rupees.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 31*st May*, 1858.

No. of 1858-59.

From THE ACCOUNTANT PUNJAB,
Lahore,

To THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of

Dated Lahore, 2nd June 1858.

Circular No. 23.

SIR,—As some misapprehension has been found to prevail in the application of para: 2 of the Notification of Government, No. 5, dated 16th January 1857, which provides that among other authorized demands, Bills of Exchange on the Public Treasuries shall be accepted as cash at par, in tender of subscriptions to the Government 5 per Cent loan now open, I have the honor to subjoin, for your information and guidance, the following Extract from a letter No. 18, dated 25th May 1858, from the Accountant General to the Government of India, to my address, by which you will perceive that it is only

those Bills which are, in ordinary course, payable from your Treasury, that you are at liberty to accept as cash at par, as subscription to the loan :—

Extract.—" Audited Bills and Bills of Exchange can be accepted as subscriptions to the open loan, at those treasuries only where they are payable in ordinary course."

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab, Accountant's Office, Lahore, Dated 2nd June 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 4TH JUNE 1858.

No. 454.—The following Govt. letter, No. 886, dated 19th May, 1858, regarding payment of Contingent Bills of newly raised Punjab Regiments by Commissariat Officers, is published for general information :—

(Copy.)
No. 886.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
of the Punjab.

Military Dept.,

SIR,—With reference to your Military Secretary's letter No. 177, of the 9th April 1858, I am directed to inform you that the Hon'ble the President in Council sees no objection to all Contingent Bills, connected with the newly raised Punjab Troops, being paid by the nearest Commissariat Officer; provided only all the bills of a Corps for any month are sent to one and the same Commissariat Officer.

2.—I am at the same time instructed to state, that the *Punjab Gazette* Order No. 93, of 8th September 1857, has been already re-published in Government General Order, No. 88, dated 18th January, and General Order by the Commander-in-Chief, dated 23rd January 1858.

I have, &c.
(Signed) F. D. ATKINSON, *Major,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India in the Mily. Dept.

Council Chamber, Fort William, the 19th May, 1858.

LAHORE, 5TH JUNE, 1858.

13TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 455.—Surgeon J. Jowett, in Medical charge, from the 1st May, to 31st October next, on Medical certificate, to visit the Hills North of Deyrah, under the old rules.

No. 456.—The following Officers will form a Committee to assemble at Anarkullie, at such time as the President may direct, to investigate claims to pension preferred by heirs of Native Officers and men of the Punjab Police killed in action.

President—Captain, W. Wyld, Assistant Military Secretary.

Member—Capt. G. McAndrew, Capt. of Police, Lahore Division.

Member—Lieutenant A. Tulloch, in charge of Recruiting Depot.

The Captain of Police will prepare the necessary papers in all cases which may be brought before the Committee.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 457.—Subadar Ahmad Khan is permitted to resign the service.

13TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 458.—The Delhi Garrison order, dated 4th May, 1858, by Lieut. Colonel Sherwill, Commanding, directing Garrison Surgeon C. Harland to afford Medical aid to the Corps, vice Surgeon Jowett, proceeded on leave on medical certificate, is confirmed.

JHUJJUR MOUNTED POLICE.

TRANSFER.

No. 459.—Duffadar Boodh Sing, from the Lahore Mounted Police, to be Jemadar, to complete the Establishment, with effect from the 1st April, 1858.

JHELUM LEVY.

No. 460.—The Jhelum Station order dated 18th May, 1858, by Captain W. Elwyn, Commanding, directing Civil Assistant Surgeon H. Rogers to afford Medical aid to the Levy, is confirmed.

12TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 461.—Captain T. C. Blagrave, Commandant, is permitted to resign his appointment in view to his employment in the Survey Department.

No. 462.—The Regimental order dated 25th May, 1858, by Captain T. C. Blagrave, Commanding, appointing Lieut. M. J. White, 2nd in Command, to assume Command of the Regiment; and Lieut. and Adjutant E. Swetenham to act as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, consequent on Capt. Blagrave's resignation, is confirmed.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Offg. Asst. Mily. Secretary.

KUNNIAH LALL.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

THE
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PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER

EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY.

No. 28. **Wednesday, June 9, 1858.** **Vol. 2.**

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

P. W. Dept., Nos. 849-50, dated 8th June, 1858.

Captain R. Grindall, late Executive Engineer, 7th Division, Grand Trunk Road, has obtained two months' privilege leave, as a special case, from the 14th May, 1858.

TRANSFERS.

Genl. Dept., Nos. 1,142-3, dated 9th June, 1858.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rama Churn Bose, from the Lahore to the Sealkote Dispensary.

Sub-Asst. Surgeon Chunder Nath Bose, from the Sealkote to the Lahore Dispensary.

POWERS.

General Dept., No. 1136, dated 8th June, 1858.

Mr. R. Saunders, Assistant Commissioner of Kangra, has been vested with the full powers of a Collector and Magistrate.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr., Punjab.

NOTICE.

TO ALL DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS.

The power of granting Licenses under Act XXVIII. of 1857, for the sale of English Gunpowder and Percussion Caps, having been delegated to the Judicial Commissioner, District Officers are requested, in future, to send licenses to that Officer for seal, signature and registry, instead of to this office.

By order of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary.

Chief Commr.'s Office, The 9th June, 1858.

No. 2593.

Extract from the proceedings of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 30th April 1858.

READ the under-mentioned Papers on the subject of registering and notifying Leave of Absence granted to Uncovenanted Servants attached to *Office Establishments.*

Letter from the Secretary to the Government of India in the Financial Department, to the Civil Auditor, Fort William, No. 4796, dated the 9th November 1857.

Endorsement from the Home Department, No. 756, dated 25th March 1858, on a letter from the Secretary to the Government, Bombay, with enclosures.

Letter from the Civil Auditor, Fort William, to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Financial Department, No. 1002, dated the 15th April 1858, and its enclosures.

RESOLUTION.—On the 9th November last, this Government ruled that in future all cases in which Leave of Absence, not notified in the *Government Gazette*, is granted to Uncovenanted Servants in excess of the few days provided for in the Financial Resolution of the 12th June 1857, should be reported *Monthly* to the Civil Auditor or the Military Auditor General, as the case may be, in a Form annexed to the above order.

On the 24th of the same month, the Government of Bombay ruled that Members of Office Establishments of every grade may be allowed—

1. Privilege Leave.
2. Sick Leave.
3. Leave on Private Affairs.
4. Casual Sick Leave.
5. Casual Leave on Private Affairs.

And they directed that from the 1st January an accurate record of all Leave of Absence granted under the above heads, should be kept in each Public Office, in five separate Registers, according to certain prescribed forms.

The Government of Bombay also pointed out to the Heads of Departments the necessity of

preventing any abuse of the privileges conceded, and explained the several conditions under which Leave of Absence, however urgent, may be obtained by office servants; and, lastly, directed their Civil Auditor to modify the Forms of Returns hitherto introduced by him, and to submit an Annual Abstract of the Returns in question for the information of that Government.

The Civil Auditor, Fort William, to whom the papers were forwarded for report, observes that although the forms prescribed by the Government of Bombay seem to be useful in enabling the heads of offices to maintain a check over the absentees of their establishments, they do not appear to him calculated to meet the requirements of Audit Offices so well as the form prescribed by the orders of this Goverment, under date the 9th November last.

D.

Monthly Statement of Leave of Absence of every description granted to Uncovenanted Servants drawing more than 10 Rupees per mensem in the Office of the for the Month of

Name of the Absentee.	Office held by Absentee.	Monthly Salary.	Without leave.	Sick leave, under Section IV. and V.	Private affairs, under Section VIII.	Special leave on private affairs under Section IX.	Privilege leave, under Section VII.	Casual leave on private affairs.	Casual leave for sickness.	Period of absence during the Month.	Amount of deduction from the Salaries.	Rate of deductions.	Name of substitute (if any.)	Amount payable to substitute.	Net amount to be retrenched from Pay Abstract, for the above Month.	Remarks.

He however exempts from objection the annexed form introduced by the Bombay Civil Auditor, which, with some modification, would, in his opinion, tend to simplify and facilitate the means of checking Absentee Accounts. He therefore recommends a general introduction of a statement of the above description.

The Civil Auditor, Fort William, further observes that the Resolution of the Governmeut of Bombay "would appear to treat Casual Sick Leave and Casual Private Affairs Leave as being distinct from the Sick Leave for 15 days in the course of the year, and the Privilege Leave for one month, which Uncovenanted Servants can claim under the Financial Resolution of 12th June* 1857, and the new Absentee Rule, Section VII., of the 22nd February 1856;" adding "every Uncovenanted or ministerial servant absent from whatever cause in excess of these latter periods, is, in Bengal, subject to deduction of salary; and the introduction of the same system in Bombay would, as being uniform and in accordance with the Orders of the Hon'ble Court, be preferable to the practice in force there."

* Amended by Financial Resolution of 19th March 1858.

In conclusion, the Civil Auditor submits two forms introduced by him,—the first being the Pay Abstract of establishments showing the date of appointment, the department in which employment was previously held, the names of Officers and salary, with a column for remarks; the second, an Alphabetical Register of Leave of Absence granted under the Rules.

It is no doubt necessary, the Hon'ble the President in Council remarks, that every office should open Registers of Leave of Absence granted to the members of its establishment; but he is of opinion that all the five Registers prescribed by the Government of Bombay are not required. No such leave as "Casual Leave on *Private* Affairs" has ever been sanctioned by this Government, and His Honor in Council requests that the Order of the Bombay Government allowing such Leave, and the Register* instituted by them in consequence of that order, may be cancelled. The other Registers proposed by the Government of Bombay may be comprised in three forms:—

* *No.* 3.

1—For Sick Leave, under Section V. of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, dated 22nd February 1856.

1—For Private Affairs Leave, under Sections VII., VIII., and IX. of the same Rules; and—

1—For Casual Leave, under the provisions of the Financial Resolution, dated 19th March 1858.

His Honor in Council accordingly directs that the following three forms, being the Bombay forms modified, may be adopted by the several Local Governments and Administrations, and introduced in all the offices under their control :—

1st Form

REGISTER shewing the period of absence of Members of the Establishment of   *drawing* 100 *Rupees a Month and upwards, on Sick Leave under Section V. of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, dated 22nd February* 1856, *for the Year.*

1	2	3	4												5	6												7
			Number of days absent in each of the following Months.													Amount deducted from the Salary of the Absentee in each of the following Months.												
Names.	Salaries.	Clause and Section under which leave is granted.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total number of days absent in the year.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	REMARKS.

2nd Form.

REGISTER showing the period of Absence of Members of the Establishment of drawing 100 Rupees a month and upwards. on Leave on Private Affairs. under Sections VII., VIII. and IX. of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, dated 22nd February, 1856, *for the year*

(The same Statement as No. 1.)

NOTE.—Column 6 will, of course, be blank, when leave is given under Section VII.

3rd Form.

REGISTER showing the period of Absence of Members of the Establishment of drawing more than 10 *Rupees a Month, on Casual Leave, under the provisions of the Financial Resolution of the Government of India, dated* 19*th March* 1858, *for the year*

Names	Salaries.	Number of days absent in each of the following Months.												Total number of days Absent in the Year.	Remarks.
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.		

In regard to Sick Leave and Private Affairs Leave, granted to Ministerial Officers drawing less than 100 Rupees and more than 10 Rupees a month, His Honor in Council desires that a separate Register may be opened in the following Form :—

REGISTER showing the period of Absence of Members of the Establishment of drawing less than* 100 *Rupees and more than* 10 *Rupees a month, on leave granted to them according to the spirit of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, dated* 22nd *February* 1856, *for the year

Names.	Salaries.	Nature of Leave.	Number of days absent in each of the following Months.												Total number of days absent in the Year.	Amount deducted from the Salary of the Absentee in each of the following Months.												REMARKS.
			January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	

It does not appear to His Honor in Council to be necessary that the Heads of Offices should furnish the Civil Auditor with a " Monthly Statement of Leave of Absence of every description granted to Uncovenanted Servants," &c., in *addition* to the Monthly Statement prescribed by the Orders of this Government, dated 9th November last ; but he is of opinion that the Bombay Civil Auditor's Form D, which is substantially the same as the form laid down in the Orders of this Government, above referred to, (except as regards the columns headed " Without Leave" and " Casual Leave on Private Affairs"), and which the Civil Auditor, Fort William, recommends to be generally introduced with some modifications, (not specified) may, with advantage, be introduced in *substitution* of the form prescribed by the orders of the 9th November last. He desires, however, that the column headed " Casual Leave on Private Affairs" may be struck out of the statement.

With reference to the column headed " Without Leave," His Honor in Council remarks that " Absence without Leave" renders the absentee liable, under Section II. of the Rules, to loss of appointment with entire forfeiture of salary for the whole period of such absence ; but this penalty will not always be enforced, and in cases in which it is not enforced, the absence shall not count in the period of the absentee's service.

The Alphabetical Register introduced in his office by the Civil Auditor at this Presidency is highly necessary ; but it ought, His Honor in Council thinks, to be in the following form :—

ANNUAL Absentee Register of Uncovenanted Servants drawing more than 10 *Rupees a Month in the Year alphabetically arranged.*

Name of Absentee.	Office held by Absentee.	Monthly Salary.	Absent.						
			Without Leave.	On Sick Leave under Section V.	On Privilege Leave under Section VII.	On Private Affairs Leave under Section VIII.	On Private Affairs Leave under Section IX.	On Casual Leave under the provisions of the Financial Resolution, dated 19th March, 1858.	

Adverting to the remark of the Civil Auditor, Fort William, that Uncovenanted Servants "can claim" Privilege Leave and Casual Leave, His Honor in Council desires that that Officer's attention be drawn to Section IX. of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, wherein it is distinctly explained that no Leave on Private Affairs is claimable as a matter of right; and to para. 1 of the Financial Resolution, dated 19th March last, wherein it is stated that Casual Leave *may* be granted by the Heads of the Offices *at their discretion.*

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Home Department, for information and guidance, and for communication to the Government of Bombay, and that the original Paper noted in the margin be returned to that Department, a copy being kept for record.

Letter from the Secretary to Government, Bombay, No 532, dated 2nd March 1858.

Foreign, Military, and P. W. Departments.
Governments of Bengal Madras, North-Western Provinces, and Straits Settlements.
Chief Commissioner, Punjab.
Accountant General to the Government of India.
Mint Committee, Calcutta.
Sub-Treasurer, Fort William.
Civil Auditor, Ditto.
Secretary Government Savings' Bank, Ditto.

Ordered, that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Departments, Governments and Officers noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

(A true Extract)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

No. 2809.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 21st May, 1858.

READ the under-mentioned papers regarding the case of certain Uncovenanted Civil Officers who have joined the Bengal Yeomanry Cavalry.

Letter from the Secretary to the Mint Committee of Calcutta, No. 361, dated 25th February, 1858, and its enclosure.

Financial Secretary's letter in reply, No. 1408, dated 12th March 1858.

Endorsement from the Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, No 1500, dated 6th May 1858, forwarding for disposal a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department with the Governor General, and its enclosures on the subject:

RESOLUTION.—In March last the Mint Committee at Calcutta submitted for the decision of Govt. copy of a Correspondence relative to the case of Messrs. Davis and Martin of the Mint Establishment, who had joined the Bengal Yeomanry Cavalry.

The Committee were informed in reply, that as on a similar reference from the Public Works Department, it had been decided that the appointment of persons in the service of Government joining the Yeomanry Cavalry must be held to be vacated from the date of their joining the Cavalry, the Hon'ble the President in Council saw no reason for making an exception in the case of Messrs. Davis and Martin, unless they rejoined their appointments in the Mint.

The above orders having been communicated to Mr. Davis, that officer solicits that he may be allowed as a special case to remain with the Corps, until the expiration of the year's leave granted him by the Officiating Mint Master.

The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased, on the recommendation conveyed in the letter of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department with the Governor General, transmitting the above application, to permit Mr Davis to remain with the Yeomanry Cavalry, so long as that Regiment remains embodied; and he directs that such arrangements be made as shall effectually save Mr. Davis from any detriment on account of his inability to leave the Corps immediately.

His Honor in Council further directs that the same rule be applied to all Uncovenanted Civil

Servants who have joined the Yeomanry Cavalry and are still with the Regiment.

ORDER.—Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Departments, (*a*) Governments, (*b*) and Officers (*c*) noted in the margin, for information and guidance as regards their respective Subordinates.

(*a*) Foreign, Home, Military and P. W. Departments.
(*b*) Govts. of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces.
(*c*) Chief Commissioner Punjab, Mint Committee Calcutta, Accountant General to the Government of India, Sub-Treasurer and Civil Auditor, Fort William.

(A true Extract)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commissioner.

NOTICE.

Treasury Officers and others, to whom the Accountant's Circular No. 22, dated 31st May, 1858, has been forwarded, are requested to add the words " per rupee" after the words one "anna" and " half anna" respectively, in the 3rd paragraph of the Circular in question.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 9th June, 1858.

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

No. OF 1858-9.

FROM

THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab,*

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

of ____________

Dated Lahore, 2nd June, 1858.

SIR,

I have the honor to solicit your earnest attention to the Annual Account particulars of Balance of Deposits, Revenue and Judicial, of your Office for the past year; and to request that should you not have already done so, you will now lose no time in bringing every item, susceptible of the measure, under adjustment; and that hereafter, you will make it a rule to do so quarterly or oftener as leisure may permit.

Circular No. 24.

2.—Deposit is one of several heads of account which go to make up the grand head of " Debt;" it is therefore of primary importance that it should be kept at as low a figure as possible; moreover, it is one of those heads of account which above all others is open to irregularities and abuse. Hence the necessity for the maintenance of a constant and vigilant check over this department of a Treasury Officer's duties.

3.—The Accountant's Manual, but more especially the rules circulated with the Accountant's Circular No. 361, dated 30th December 1856, will be found to contain minute and particular instructions for dealing with items which usually find a place in Deposit pending eventual adjustment; a close observance then, of the rules therein laid down, will not only operate to bar the admission of improper entries, but will, in the end, be found materially to abridge the labor of preparing the Annual Accounts.

4.—District Officers should be careful to ascertain that the additional column prescribed in Circular K. of 30th January 1857, for the recipient's signature, is maintained in the office copy of the new form of Register introduced by the above cited Circular.

5.—Twenty years is the limit fixed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, after which all unclaimed deposits should be credited to Government to the head of " Profit and Loss." But in order to condense the detail, which would otherwise swell out to an interminable length, para. 11 of the Accountant's Circular No. 221, dated 17th May, 1847, provides that unclaimed items of 5 years' standing be charged in detail, and transferred in one aggregate sum to credit, as a fresh unclaimed consolidated deposit of 5 years' standing.

6.—However, the Government of the North-Western Provinces, in its order No. 1497, dated 29th August 1856, has directed that " all Judicial Deposits not exceeding 20 Rupees shall, at the expiration of one year, be carried to the credit of Government in the event of no claimant appearing;" and I see no reason why the spirit of this order may not be fully carried out in the Punjab, in regard to all Deposits for which there is no claimant. But it should be remembered, that no item should be so dealt with unless satisfactory proof can be adduced, that there has been a careful but fruitless search made to obtain a clue to the claimant. Deposits being trusts, no lapse of time will be held to bar payment to a legal claimant, notwithstanding that the amount may have been credited to Government. In every such case, the sanction of Government must be obtained before payment can be made.

7.—Items coming under the designation of " Towfeer," " Kusrat," " Tulubana," " Fines," income from Rukhs, gardens, &c., and all others of a miscellaneous or questionable character, should be strictly scrutinized, and if no legitimate reason be found for their continuance in the Register, they should be directly adjusted under their appropriate heads in the body of your account.

8.—I have noticed in the Registers of some districts which have lately come under review, that large Deposits are held to the credit of Executive Engineers: these may possibly have occurred with reference to para. 2 of the Accountant's Circular No. 258, dated 24th January 1850, which by providing for the periodical adjustment of Deposits made by public Officers for public purposes, necessarily implies that they may be received; but this is not the case so far as Executive Engineers are concerned. The more recent orders of Government, and Circulars of the Accountant, referred to in the margin, do not contemplate the necessity for Officers of the Dept. of Public Works having any Deposits whatever. Indeed the concluding portion of the last cited Circular is so plain upon this point, that I consider it wor-

Notification by the Honorable the President in Council, No. 14, dated 10th April 1855.
Accountant's Circular No. 326, dated 23rd June, 1855.
Accountant's Circular K. dated 18th July, 1855.

thy of prominent and especial attention, and therefore extract it accordingly.

Extract.—" It is to be distinctly understood, that only such advances as are *actually* required for the purposes of the Department, are to be applied for by the Executive Officers in whose favor letters of credit may have been issued. This course of procedure will prevent the unnecessary trouble which has been occasioned, in some cases, by Officers claiming the unpaid portion of their credit on the last day of the month, and paying it back into the treasury as a Remittance of the Engineer Department, and in other cases by withdrawing funds in excess of immediate wants, and placing the surplus under Deposits, contrary to order."

9.—I trust, therefore, that you will steadily enforce the rules of Government in your Treasury regarding advances on letters of credit to Executive Engineers; and refuse to accept as a Deposit any portion of a letter of credit, as the doing so can only be viewed as a violation and evasion of a specific order, made to prevent Deposits being made by Officers of the Public Works Department.

10.—Finally, I have to request that in your annual account particulars of Balance of Deposits, you will be careful to specify in the column of remarks opposite each item, the steps taken to bring it under adjustment; or the cause, if any exist, which warrants its continuance in deposit for a further period.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. servant,

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office,
Lahore,
The 2nd June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 9TH JUNE, 1858.

12TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 463.—Lieut. H. H. Christian, late 68th Native Infantry, to be officiating Adjutant, from the date of his joining the Head Quarters of the Regiment.

No. 464.—Regimental Order, dated 27th May 1858, by Lieut. M. J. White, Commanding, directing Lieut. J. Liston, doing duty Officer, to receive charge of the Adjutant's office from Lieut. E. Swetenham, appointed officiating 2nd in Command, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

3RD SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 465.—General Orders, dated 24th and 29th March last, respectively, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, directing Lieut. A. D. Jennings and Cornet R. Beadon, 10th Light Cavalry, attached to the Lahore Light Horse, to do duty with the 3rd Seikh Irregular Cavalry, are notified.

4TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

ALTERATION OF RANK.

No. 466.—The Commissions of Jemadars Mujja Singh and Gholam Mahomed Khan, to bear date, the former from 4th July, 1857, and the latter from 1st September, 1857, instead of the dates assigned in Punjab Orders, Nos. 565 and 304, dated respectively 30th December and 6th April last.

PATHAN HORSE OF RESSALDAR SULTAN JAN.

No. 467.—Brigade Order, dated 20th May, 1858, by Brigadier J. Coke, C. B., Commanding, appointing Lieut. J. P. Davidson, Adjutant, 1st Punjab Infantry, to the Command of the Pathan Horse of Ressaldar Sultan Jan, in room of Captain A. Smith, proceeded on medical certificate, as a temporary arrangement, is confirmed.

3RD SEIKH INFANTRY.

No. 468.—Regimental Order, dated 2nd April, 1858, by Captain Renny, Commanding, appointing Lieut. and Adjutant T. P. Harrison to act as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, during the absence of Captain T. A. Corbett, is confirmed.

GOVERNMENT HORSE DEPOT.

No. 469.—Lahore Station Order, dated 25th May, 1858, by Brigadier S. Corbett, C. B., appointing Captain F. W. Drummund, 8th Light Cavalry, to the charge of the Government Horse Depôt, in addition to his other duties, in room of Captain Best, proceeded on leave on medical certificate, is confirmed.

PUNJAB ORDER.

OUDE POLICE.

No. 470.—The following transfers and appointments to the Oude Police are directed, and Officers Commanding Corps from which the transfers have been made will forward Descriptive Rolls to the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Oude.

HOSHEYARPORE LEVY BATTALION.

Jemadar	Abdoolah Khan as Subadar.		From the 2nd Punjab Infantry, from the 1st May.
Havildar	Goormook Sing as Jemadar.		
Naick	Ramjee, as Havildar.		
"	Allah Singh,	ditto,	
"	Kessur Singh,	ditto,	
"	Sahwun Singh,	ditto,	
"	Jewun Singh,	ditto,	
"	Raheem Buksh,	ditto,	
Sepoy	Gundah Singh,	ditto,	
"	Goormook Singh,	ditto,	
"	Futteh Singh,	ditto,	
"	Mudjah Singh,	ditto,	
"	Bagh Singh,	ditto,	
"	Noor Mahomed,	ditto,	
"	Amee Chund, as Naick,		

Sepoy Bucktah, as Naick
,, Gunput, ditto,
,, Rohilla Khan, ditto,
,, Mookhum Shah, ditto,
,, Ullee Buksh, ditto,
,, Hakum, ditto,
,, Kaleh Khan, ditto,
,, Bhoopah, ditto,
,, Peer Buksh, ditto,
,, Bootah, ditto,
,, Edah, ditto,
,, Sawun Singh, ditto,
,, Chuttur Singh, ditto,

From the 2nd Punjab Infantry, from the 1st May.

Subadar Futteh Deen to be Adjutant,
Jemadar Maitaba as Subadar.
Havildar Hackum Khan as Jemadar.
,, Jhowar Singh, ditto,
Naick Khoda Bux, as Havildar,
Sepoy Mookhum, ditto,
,, Hurdut Singh, ditto,
,, Soona, ditto,
,, Goolab, ditto,
,, Huzara Singh, ditto,
,, Dewa Singh, ditto,
,, Wussun Shah, ditto,
,, Emam Buksh, ditto,
,, Chunda Singh, as Naick,
,, Pheena ditto,

From the 1st Punjab Police Battalion, from 1st May, 1858.

Havildar Jowah, as Subadar,
Naick Buldao Sing, as Havildar,
,, Full Singh, ditto,
Sepoy Aladaud, ditto;
,, Lall Singh, ditto,
,, Punjab Singh, ditto,

From the 7th Punjab Police Battalion from 1st May.

Jemadar Uttur Singh, as Subadar,
Havildar Wuzeer Beg,
,, Sooltan Mahomed,
,, Khan Singh,
,, Lall Singh.
,, Mahmood Khan,
Naick Futteh Deen,
,, Fuzul Deen,
,, Wullee Dad Khan,
,, Boota Singh,
,, Veeroo Khan,
Drummer, Bugler, Shibboo,
and eighty Sepoys,

From the Gujranwalla Levy, from the 1st May.

Naick Jowund Singh,
,, Asharuf Shah,
,, Abaub Khan,
,, Durwesh Khan,

From the Lahore Infantry Depot, from 1st May.

APPOINTMENTS.

Sohail Singh, to be Subadar.
Kanh Singh, ditto.
Dhyal Singh, ditto.
Hurdial Singh, to be Jemadar.
Uggur Singh, ditto.
Kaim Singh, ditto.
Nedhan Singh, ditto.
Goormook Singh, to be Havildar.
Bhoodoo, ditto.

1ST OUDE POLICE BATTALION.

Subadar Gurmet Singh, to be Native Adjt.
Jemadar Sham Singh, as Subadar,
Havildar Sunt Singh, as Jemadar,
,, Sooltana, ditto,
,, Dya Singh. ditto,
Naick Peera as Havildar,
,, Kaun Singh. as Havildar Major,
,, Futteh Singh, as Havildar,
Bugler Jewun, as Naick,
Sepoy Sahib Chund, ditto,
,, Dyal Singh, ditto,
,, Roora, ditto,
,, Doolla, ditto,
,, Heera, ditto,
,, Doolum Singh, ditto,
,, Noora, ditto,
,, Peera, ditto,
,, Gholam Ally, ditto,
,, Nehal Singh, ditto,
,, Pyndai Khan, ditto,
,, Essur Dass, ditto,
,, Jowala Singh, ditto,
,, Myah Singh, ditto,

From the 4th Punjab Police Battalion with effect from 1st May.

2ND OUDE POLICE BATTALION.

Subadar Mhaitab Khan, as Native Adjt.,
Jemadar Hakim Singh, as Subadar,
Havildar Aya Khan, as Jemadar,
,, Ram Singh, ditto,
Naick Ramdeen, as Havildar,
Bugler Mola Sing, as Naick,
Sepoy Doola, ditto,
,, Nidhan Singh, ditto,
,, Bhoop Singh, ditto,
,, Chundun Singh, ditto,
,, Muttha, ditto,
,, Bood Singh, ditto,
,, Mana, ditto,
,, Noor Khan, ditto,
,, Russool Khan, ditto,
,, Oomer Khan, ditto,

From the 4th Punjab Police Battalion, with effect from the 1st May.

3RD OUDE POLICE BATTALION.

Subadar Gootnie Khan, to be Native Adjutant, — From 4th Punjab Police Battalion, with effect from the 15th May.

OUDE MOUNTED POLICE.

Jemadar Bussun Singh, as Native Adjt.,
Duffadar Chunda Singh, as Jemadar,
,, Sheik Kulloo, ditto,
,, Goormook Singh, ditto,
Sowar Rungee Khan, as Naib Duffadar,
,, Bagh Singh, ditto,
,, Futteh Singh, ditto,
,, Wuzeer Singh, ditto,
,, Jowala Singh, ditto,
,, Lynah Singh, ditto,
,, Jummyat Singh, ditto,
,, Sheikh Sudagur, ditto,
,, Husmut Ali, ditto,
,, Khairat Beg, ditto,
,, Futteh Khan, ditto,

From the Mounted Police, Cis-Sutlej Division, with effect from the 15th May.

Sowar	Sujun Singh, as Naib Duffadar,	From the Mounted Police, Cis-Sutlej Division, with effect from the 15th May.
,,	Heeranund, ditto,	
,,	Nanuck Chund, ditto,	
,,	Nanuck,	
,,	Essur,	
,,	Morad Bux,	
,,	Ali Bux,	
,,	Azeemoolah,	
Sepoy	Surmookh Singh, as Sowar,	From the 4th Punjab Police Battalion, with effect from the 15th May.
,,	Gunda Singh, ditto,	
,,	Peer Bux, ditto,	
,,	Hoosnakie, ditto,	
,,	Bulakie, ditto,	
,,	Sawun Sing, ditto,	
,,	Mudari Khan, ditto,	
,,	Nihal Singh, ditto,	
,,	Moosum Ali Shah, ditto,	
,,	Mohomed Bux, ditto,	

OUDE POLICE BATTALION.

Havildar	Must Khan,	From the 20th Punjab Infantry, as Drill Instructors.
,,	Emam Bux,	
Naick	Khurkoo,	
,,	Golaub Khan,	
Sepoy	Murtaub Singh,	
,,	Ram Singh,	
,,	Jailall Singh,	
Sepoy	Kurum Khan,	From 1st Punjab Police Battalion, as Drill Instructors, with effect from 15th May.
,,	Nehala,	
,,	Ilahee,	
,,	Goolab,	
,,	Narain Singh,	
,,	Deviditta,	
,,	Boota,	
Naick	Soochait Singh,	From the 7th Punjab Police Battalion, as Drill Instructors, with effect from 15th May.
Sepoy	Roy Singh,	
,,	Jowalla Singh,	
,,	Hubib Khan,	
,,	Veer Singh,	
,,	Sooba Singh,	
,,	Dayal Singh,	

W. WYLD, *Captain*,
Offg. Asst. Mily. Secretary.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl Department No. 1154-5, dated 11th June 1858.

The Supreme Government have been pleased to confirm the appointment, by the Chief Commissioner, of Mr. F. R. Scarlett, to be Personal Assistant to the Commissioner, Lahore Division, as a temporary arrangement.

POWERS.

Lieut. R. Young, Assistant Commissioner Lahore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate and Collector.

R. TEMPLE,

Secretary Chief Commr.

The following Order by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General is re-published from the Gazette of the Governor General's Camp, for general information :—

No. 1532.

Foreign Department.

ALLAHABAD, THE 2D JUNE 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General has been pleased to appoint Mr. F. Browne, to be an Inspector of Schools in the Punjab, with effect from the 30th September 1856.

(True Copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified for general information that the Right Hon'ble the Governor General gave his assent on the 2nd June 1858, to a Bill passed by the Legislative Council, continuing in force for a future period, Acts XIV., XVI. and XVII. of 1857.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy, to the Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 10TH JUNE, 1858.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 471.—Lieut. H. C. T. Jarrett, of the late 26th Light Infantry, from the 7th Punjab Infantry, to do duty.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 472.—The transfer of Sepoy Musician Meer Sobrut Ally from the 49th Native Infantry to the 21st Punjab Infantry, notified in Punjab Order No 446, dated 1st June, is hereby cancelled.

LAHORE, 12TH JUNE, 1858.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 473.—Lieut. W. F. Fergusson, of the 8th Light Cavalry, to do duty.

25TH OR GOORKAH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 474.—Captain H. Boisragon is directed to proceed and join his appointment of 2nd in Command and officiating Commandant of the Regiment in Huzara, by Dak at the public expense.

5TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 475.—Sepoy Emam Ally will be re-enrolled, without prejudice to his arrears of pay, from the date on which he was struck off.

11TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 476.—Surgeon J. Macintire, of the Artillery, to the Medical charge of the Corps.

No. 477.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 413, dated 22nd May last, Officers Commanding Corps from which transfers to the 25th or Goorkha Regiment are made, are directed to forward to the Commandant of that Corps, Descriptive Long Rolls of the men transferred.

7TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 478.—Assistant Surgeon D. Hood, to the Medical charge, with effect from the date of his joining.

3RD SEIKH INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 479.—Brevet Captain T. A. Corbett, 2nd in Command, for seven months, from 1st April 1858, on Medical certificate, to visit Simla.

1ST SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 480.—Captain L. B. Jones, 56th Native Infantry, to officiate as commandant in the room of Major Phillips, appointed by Punjab Order No. 411, of the 22nd May 1858, unable to join from sickness.

JHELUM LEVY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 481.

Names	As	From
Naicks.		
Mataub Khan, Kootub Deen, Mataub Singh, Rookna.	*as Havildars.*	From the 1st Punjab Police Battalion, with effect from 1st June, 1858.
Sepoys.		
Bood Singh, Hyath Shah, Doola Singh, Peerah.	*as Naicks.*	
Naicks.		
Detteh Khan, Goorduth Singh.	*as Havildars.*	From the 7th Punjab Police Battalion, with effect from the 1st June, 1858.
Sepoys.		
Heerah, Juggut Singh.	*as Naicks.*	

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy., to Chief Commissioner,

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Genl Department, No. 1,180-1, dated 14th June, 1858.

The indulgence leave for one month and Twenty days from the 1st July 1858, granted to Extra Assistant Sheikh Shahaboodeen, published in the Punjab Gazette of the 17th April, 1158, has been cancelled.

Genl. Department, No. 1,206 7, dated 16th June, 1858.

Lieutenant J. E. B. Parsons, Assistant Commissioner, Thanesur, has obtained leave on Medical Certificate, from the 9th May, to the 15th October, 1858.

P. W. Dept., No. 893 4, dated 16th June, 1858.

Mr. J. Harding, Head Accountant, Central Public Work Office, Lahore, has obtained 1½ month's indulgence leave from the 7th May, 1858.

TRANSFERS.

Genl. Department, No. 1,198. dated 16th June, 1858.

Native Doctor Meer Alee Buksh, from the Noorpore Dispensary, to Dhurmsala.

Native Doctor Meer Jaffer Alee, from Dhurmsala to the Noorpore Dispensary.

APPOINTMENTS.

Judl Department, No. 398 9. dated 16th June, 1858.

Subject to the approval of the Supreme Government, the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to appoint the Assistant Commissioners (and in their absence, the Deputy Commissioners) of Rohtuck and Jhujjur, to be *Ex-Officio* Registrars of Deeds in their respective Districts.

Foreign Department, No. 1,577, dated 9th June, 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Govr. General has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant E. L. Ommanney, of the 59th Native Infantry, and Lieutenant W. G. Waterfield, of the 23rd Native Infantry, to be Assistant Commissioners of the 3rd Class in the Punjab.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr.

The Director of Public Instruction will be greatly obliged if those District Officers who have not yet sent the addresses of Villages to which the Surkari Akhbar should be sent, as requested in para. 2 of the Director's Circular No. 2, dated 7th April, 1858, will do so without delay; as without this information the paper cannot be efficiently distributed.

(Signed) W. D. ARNOLD,
Director of Public Instruction, Punjab.

Lahore
The 16th June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE PUNJAB IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 15TH JUNE, 1858.

No. 483.—All Officers Commanding Punjab Regiments, Cavalry, and Infantry, Levies, Horse and Foot, Police Mounted and Foot, serving within the Jurisdiction of the Chief Commissioner, are directed to furnish, on the 1st of each month, Disposition Returns of the Corps, &c., under their command, to the Assistant Quarter Master Generals of the Divisions in which they may be respectively employed, for the information of the General Officer Commanding, and transmission to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

15TH (PIONEER) REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 484.—Lieut. H. DeBrett, doing duty from 3rd April to 20th June, 1858, on medica,

certificate, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe.

LAHORE, 15TH JUNE 1858.

CORPS OF GUIDES.

PROMOTION.

No. 485.—Havildar Buddredeen, to be Jemadar, in the room of Jemadar Purshad Sing, resigned.

PATHAN HORSE.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 486.—Captain Andrew Smith, Commanding, from 18th May to 15th October next, on medical certificate, to visit the Hills North of Deyrah.

1ST REGIMENT SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 487.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names,	To what Rank promoted.	In whose room.
Jemadar Summund Khan, ...	Subadar,	Subadar Ram Churn Singh. } Struck off.
Havildar Bussum Singh, ...	Jemadar,	Jemadar Bheek Singh.
„ Jeymul Singh,...	ditto,	Bindah Singh.

HODSON'S HORSE.

TRANSFER.

No. 488.—Sowar Jowahir Sing, from the Corps of Guides, with effect from the 1st June.

SEALKOTE LEVY.

PROMOTION.

No. 489.—Sepoy Doone Chund, } To be Naicks.
„ Golab Shah,
„ Soolukun,

HOOSHYARPORE MOUNTED LEVY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 490.—Nidhan Sing, to be Ressaldar, with effect from the 8th May, 1858.

4TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

TRANSFER.

No. 491.—Native Adjutant Mola Bux, from the 5th Punjab Police Battalion.

5TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 492.—Jemadar Goordut Sing, 4th Punjab Police Battalion, to be Native Adjutant.

9TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

APPOINTMENTS.

No 493.—Native Adjutant Ameerkhan, from 4th Punjab Police Battalion, to be Native Commandant.

9HT PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

TRANSFER.

Native Adjutant Golab Sing, from the Benares Police Battalion.

No. 494.—Bunnoo Station Order, dated 26th March, 1858, by Captain R. Renny, Commanding, appointing Lieut. T. P. Harrison, 3rd Seikh Infantry, to act as Station Staff, during the absence of Captain T. A. Corbett, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 16TH JUNE, 1858.

HOOSHYARPORE LEVY.

PROMOTION.

No. 495.—Havildar Punjab Sing, to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment.

No. 496.—The following order by the Right Honorable the Governor General, regarding discharge certificates of native soldiers, is republished for the information and guidance of Officers Commanding Corps of the Punjab Irregular force

ALLAHABAD, 1ST JUNE 1858.

No. 177, of 1858.

The Right Honorable the Governor General is pleased to direct that in future all discharge certificates of native soldiers shall be prepared in the form of a Descriptive Roll, and contain particulars of age, caste, parentage, residence, particular marks, and date and cause of discharge; and that copies of these certificates shall be forwarded by the Officer whose signature they bear, to the Civil Authorities of the Districts, in which the men's homes are situated, as well as to the Civil Authorities nearest to the station at which the men take their discharge.

(True Copy.)

(Signed,) W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commr.

DELHI DIVISION MOUNTED POLICE.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 497.—Sunt Sing, to be Resaldar,		With effect from the 1st April last.
Hukkeekut Sing,	do.	
Narain Sing,	do.	
Nund Sing, to be Jemadar.		
Goolab Sing,	do.	
Summund Khan,	do.	
Bughta,	do.	
Sheikh Fakier,	do.	

9TH POLICE BATTALION.

APPOINTMENTS.

Bhag Sing, (1st),	To be Subadars on probation with effect from 1st April, 1858.
Bhag Sing, (2nd),	
Jummyut Sing,	
Uroor Sing,	
Muhtab Sing,	
Roop Sing,	
Sirdar Heera Sing,	
Meet Sing,	
Hookum Sing,	
Jey Sing,	

Mehtab Sing,	To be Jemadars on probation with effect from 1st April, 1858.
Kaissur Sing,	
Sowa Sing,	
Jalaloodeen,	
Neary Ally.	
Joomey Khan,	
Sahib Sing,	
Fowya Sing,	
Ruttun Sing,	
Heera Sing,	

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Revenue Dept., No. 518, dated 17th June, 1858. Mr. H. Teasdale, to be an Assistant Patrol in the Hansee Division of the Customs Department.

General Dept., No. 1,234, dated 18th June, 1858. Assistant Surgeon Waghorn, 23rd Regiment of Punjab Infantry, to the Civil Medical charge of *Jhujjur*, in addition to his other duties.

The Chief Commissioner has been pleased to make the following postings and transfers of Deputy Commissioners in the Punjab :—

Major R. Taylor, from Goojrat to Kangra.

Captain H. W. H. Coxe, (new appointment) to Dera Ismael Khan.

Captain S. F. Graham, (new appointment) to Kohat.

R. E. Egerton, Esq., (new appointment) to Lahore.

Captain J. E. Cracroft, (new appointment) to Rawul Pindee.

Captain J. W. Bristow, (on leave) (new appointment) to Jhelum.

Lieut. H. Mackenzie, (new appointment) to Goojrat.

Captain W. R. Elliott, (new appointment) to Goojranwalla.

Captain J. M. Cripps, (new appointment) to Ferozepoor.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

The following Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General are re-published from the Gazette of the Governor General's Camp, for general informaion :—

No. 1582.
Foreign Department.

ALLAHABAD, THE 9TH JUNE 1858.

The appointment of Mr. W. C. Plowden, Assistant Commissioner, Punjab, to be a 1st class Assistant Commissioner in Oudh, as notified in General Order No. 1179, dated the 15th ultimo, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1639.

ALLAHABAD, THE 10TH JUNE 1858.

Mr. John Kitchen is appointed to be an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class in the Delhi Territory.

(True Copies)
R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commissioner.

The following Rules for the Examination of Candidates for the Office of Extra Assistant Commissioners in the Punjab, are published for general information :—

A Committee will be formed under general control of Central Committee, for examination of all candidates for the Office of Extra Assistant, other than natives of India ; such Committee to consist of the Director of Public Instruction as President, the Principal, or one Professor of any college that may be established at Lahore, the Reverend Chaplain of Anarkullee, an Officer of Department Public Works to be named by Chief Engineer, and a passed Civil Officer to be named by Central Committee :—

This Examination will be held in the month of November in each year.

Every candidate must present a certificate of good moral character from some competent party. The committee as above constituted will judge of the sufficiency or otherwise of such certificate.

The said Committee will set questions in reference to the subjects mentioned in para 21 of Government Resolution of 18th January 1856, namely, "proficiency in the ordinary branches of School education," a critical knowledge of, and facility of composing in, at least one language,

the elements of Algebra and Geometry, and their practical application to surveying, and the leading facts of English and Indian History.

The Committee's decision will be final, but they will report results of the proceedings, and transmit copies of questions to the Central Committee.

Natives of India, however, cannot present themselves as candidates for this examination; they will be otherwise provided for.

A list of candidates thus passed will be submitted annually by Central Committee to Chief Comissisioner.

(Signed) R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Central Committee.

EXTRACT Para: 21st of Government Resolution in the Home Department, dated the 18th January 1856, No. 125, is published for general information.

PARA: 21.—In addition to this, His Lordship in Council is of opinion that no person, whether European or Native, should be appointed to any such Office without first undergoing an examination to test his general knowledge of the duties he will be required to perform, and his proficiency in the ordinary branches of School education. For this latter purpose, it is not absolutely necessary that the candidate should understand English, but he should be required to possess a critical knowledge of, and facility of composing in, at least one language; to be well grounded in the elements of Algebra and Geometry, and their practical application to surveying; and to know the leading facts either of Indian or of English History. It is clear that under such a system of examination, candidates understanding English would have an advantage over those unacquainted with English; and to this extent, the Governor General in Council is not unwilling that the former should have the preference. Hereafter an university degree may be allowed to stand in the place of this examination.

(True Copy and Extract).
R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr. Punjab.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE PUNJAB IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 18TH JUNE, 1858.

20TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 498.—Native Doctor Emam Ally Shah, placed at the Chief Commissioner's disposal by Lahore Division Order, No. 83, dated 27th February 1858, is appointed to the Corps, in room of Native Doctor Hormuth Khan, transferred to the Ferozepore Dispensary.

No. 499.—The Kohat Station Order, dated 9th April, by Captain G. Maister, Commanding, directing Lieut. M. M. Fitzgerald, of No. 2 Punjab Light Field Battery, to perform the duties of Station Staff, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 19TH JUNE, 1858.

12TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 500.—Havildar Chugguttia, to be Jemadar, in room of Jemadar Goomana Singh transferred to the 25th (or Goorka) Regiment Punjab Infantry.

No. 501.—The Establishment marginally noted, entertained for the protection of the vacant Public Buildings at Sealkote, under Brigade Order dated 26th May 1857, is sanctioned.

16 Chowkeedars for European Infantry Lines.
3 Ditto for Gun Sheds and Harness room.
2 Ditto for Grass Sheds and Government carts.

10TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 502.—Lieut J. A. Brereton, doing duty, for two months, from 15th June to 15th August 1858, on medical certificate, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to England.

1ST REGIMENT PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 503.—The Regimental Order dated 9th May, by Major Hughes, Commanding, directing Captain H. L. Millett, appointed 2nd in Command, to continue to perform the duties of Adjutant, pending the arrival of Ensign W. C. Anderson, or until further orders, is confirmed.

3RD REGIMENT SEIKH INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 504.—Jemadar Bhubeechun Singh, to be Subadar, with effect from the 25th October 1857.

23RD REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

505.—Subadar Bhugwan Singh, from the 3rd Regiment Seikh Infantry.

LIND'S MOOLTANEE HORSE.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 506.—Lieut. S. Boulderson, of the 5th Light Cavalry, to do duty.

25TH OR GOORKA REGIMENT.

No. 507.—The Regimental order dated 7th instant, by Captain Boisragon, Commanding, assuming temporary charge of the Adjutant's Office, is confirmed.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

TRANSFER.

General Dept., No. 1,265, dated 21st June, 1858.

Mr. Extra Assistant G. Thomson, from the Leia to the Dera Ismael Khan District.

POWERS.

Judicial Dept. No. 427, dated 23rd June, 1858.

Extra Assistant Sirdar Jodh Singh, of the Umritsur District, is vested with the special powers of an Assistant.

LEAVE.

P. W. Dept. No. 923-4, dated 21st June, 1852.

Major A. Taylor, Superintendent Lahore and Peshawur road, from 1st May to 31st December, 1858, on Medical certificate.

General Dept. No. 1,283, dated 23rd June, 1858.

Captain J. W. F. Bean, Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Rawul Pindee, has obtained 60 days' indulgence leave from the date on which he availed himself thereof, to visit Murree, for the benefit of his health.

Captain R. J. F. Hickey, of 17th Irregular Cavalry, will officiate for Captain Bean during the absence of the latter Officer.

General Dept. No. 1,283-4, dated 23rd June, 1858.

Mr. J. W. MacNabb, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, for two months, on medical certificate, from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

Mr. B. Hardinge, Assistant Commissioner will officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum during Mr. MacNabb's absence.

APPOINTMENTS.

Mr. W. Robertson, appointed an Assistant Commissioner in the Delhi Territories, is posted to the Delhi district, from the date on which he reported his arrival.

The services of Major O. E. Rothney, Commanding 4th Sikh Infantry, being required at Delhi, after the departure of his Regiment from that station, as a Member of the Commission for the trial of offenders under Acts XIV., XVI., and XVII. of 1857, he was directed to remain at Delhi, and continue to act in that capacity until relieved by Captain Hockin.

R. TEMPLE,

Secretary to Chief Commissioner.

The following orders by the Right Honorable the Governor General, are published for the *Gazette* of the Governor General's camp for general information :—

No. 1,707.

Foreign Department.

ALLAHABAD, THE 12TH JUNE, 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Lieut. R. H. Hudleston, of the 69th Regiment N. I., and Lieut. G. G. Young, of the 16th Regiment N. I., to be Assistant Commissioners of the 3rd Class in the Punjab.

Captain H. A. Dwyer, of the 59th Regiment N. I., to be an Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class, in the Jhujjur district of the Delhi territory.

No. 35.

Public Works Department.

ALLAHABAD, THE 11TH JUNE, 1858.

Notification.—With reference to this department Notification No. 3, of the 15th April last, Lieut. F. J. Gully's return to the Punjab is deferred till he shall have completed the preparation of shelter for troops at Goruckpoor. Lieut. Gully will be considered to have resumed his position in the department from the date on which he took charge of that work.

(True Copies)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

The following order by the Hon'ble the President in Council, is republished from the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information :—

" It appears however to his Honor in Council to be desirable that some provision be made for the relief of the destitute families of persons, who have died after the loss of their property by the mutinies, though they did not lose their lives in consequence of the mutinies.

His Honor in Council accordingly directs that the following additional Rule be treated as one of the Rules of the 13th November, 1857, and be numbered 14 A.

" Grants of money will be given to destitute " families of persons who, though they did not " lose their lives in consequence of the mutinies, " have died after the loss of all or nearly all " their property by the mutinies. Such grants " will be regulated on the same principle as those " allowed to European and Native Officers of " the Government. Applications for grants un- " der this head should be made in the manner " laid down in rule 17 of the Rules above refer- " ed to."

(True Copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr. Punjab.

No. 3,149.

***EXTRACT** from the Proceedings of the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council. in the Financial Department, under date the 26th May, 1858.*

His Honor in Council, on a careful consideration of the circumstances stated in behalf of Native Doctors of the new Bengali Class, their present position and allowances, and the inconvenience to which they and the parties they are bound to attend will be subjected if they are required to discharge their duties by walking their rounds, especially in a case where an operation has to be performed, is pleased to sanction the grant to them, when placed temporarily in charge of a civil station, as in the case of Ramkinno Dutt, of a palkee allowance of 25 Rupees a month, in addition to the deputation allowance of 10 Rupees a month to which they are already entitled.

Ordered, that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be sent to the Home Department for communication to the Government of Bengal, and that the original papers received therefrom be returned.

Order.

Ordered also, that a transcript of the above Resolution, together with a copy of the Home Extract noted in the * margin, be sent to the Civil Auditor, Fort William, for information and guidance.

* No. 1241, dated 17th November 1854.

Ordered also, that a copy be sent to the Government of the N. W. Provinces and the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

(A true Extract)

(Signed) C. H. LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Published for general information.

(Signed) R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

Applications for the appointment of Chemical Examiner for the Punjab, will be received by the undersigned. Salary Co's Rs. 500 per mensem. A thorough knowledge of Chemical Analysis, Geology, and some of the branches of Natural History is indispensible. The substantive Appointment to be ultimately that of Professor of Chemistry in the proposed Medical College at Lahore.

By order of the Chief Commissioner,

R. TEMPLE,

Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that parties who have suffered loss of property in the Punjab Territories, (including Delhi Territory, Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, and Punjab Proper,) during the late mutinies and disturbances, and who may desire that their claims for compensation should be investigated, must refer their respective cases, with all the requisite particulars, if the amount claimed be less than Rs. 50,000 (fifty thousand,) within three months, to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. For instance, if the loss occurred at Delhi, or Goorgaon, the claimant will apply to the Commissioner of Delhi ; if at Hissar, or Hansee, or Sirsa, to the Commissioner of Hissar ; if at Seealkote, to the Commissioner of Lahore, and so on. After the expiry of three months from the date of this notice, no claim can be received. But if the amount of claim exceed 50,000 Rs., then the applicant, though he must prefer his application within the three months above described, may have a further period of three months within which to furnish detailed particulars. The above limit of time applies to parties in India. If the parties be in Europe, or elsewhere out of India, they may prefer their claims with full particulars within six months. Those parties whose claims have been already forwarded to this Office, are hereby informed that their cases will now be referred to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. Claims of this nature can be received from Europeans and Christians generally, and from natives of India, who suffered from their fidelity to the British Government.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

Lahore,
23rd June, 1858.

HEAD CLERK, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE. SALARY RS. 150.

Wanted at Hoshyarpoor, consequent on the advancement of the present incumbent to a better appointment. Applications with copies of certificates to be forwarded, post paid, to Deputy Commissioner.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 22ND JUNE, 1858.

CURETON'S REGIMENT OF MOOLTANEE CAVALRY.

No. 508.—The Regimental Order, dated 24th May, by Captain Cureton, Commanding, directing Lieut. B. Williams to act as 2nd in Command, in room of Lieut. K. Dixon, proceeded to Mussooree, in anticipation of leave on Medical Certificate, and Lieut B. N. Smith, to receive charge of the Adjutant's Office from Lieut. B. Williams, is confirmed.

6TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 509.—The Regimental Order, dated 31st May, by Lieut. T. Quin, Commanding, appointing Lieut. and Officiating Adjutant G. N. Saunders to act as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, until the arrival of Lieut. B. S. B. Parlby, is confirmed.

1ST PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 510.

Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Jowahur Singh,	Subadar,	1st May, 1858.	Futtehdeen transferr.d to Oude Police.
Havildars.			
Ellahee Shah,	Jemadar,	do.	Jowahur Singh, promoted.
Mahur Chund,	do.	do.	Maitaba transferred to Oude Police.
Ram Singh,	do.	15th May, 1858.	Mookumdeen transferred to Jhelum Levy.

19TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 511.—Sepoy Jewun, from 5th Punjab Police Battalion, from the 1st July, 1858.

CURETON'S REGIMENT OF MOOLTANEE CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 512.—Trumpeter Shaick Joomun, from the late 4th Light Cavalry (Lancers).

LAHORE, 23RD JUNE, 1858.

18TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 513.—Jemadar Mahomed Khan, to be Subadar, from the 1st instant, in room of Feroze Khan, resigned.

18TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 514—Nursing Dass, to be Jemadar, from the 1st instant, in the room of Mahomed Khan, promoted.

PESHAWUR LEVIES.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 515.—Captain W. Cooper, of H. M.'s 70th Foot, to Command, (subject to the Control of the Commissioner of Peshawur,) on a Staff allowance of Rupees 200 monthly, with effect from the 9th instant.

CURETON'S MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 516.—Lieut. G. A. Prendergast, of the 5th Cavalry, to act as 2nd in Command, during the absence of Lieut. K. Dixon, proceeded on sick leave.

SOUTER'S TOWANNA HORSE.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 517.—Lieut. F. H. Macnaghten, of the 5th Light Cavalry, to do duty.

No. 518.—Inconvenience being experienced from want of uniformity in the Present States of corps and detachments received in this Office, Officers Commanding Artillery, Cavalry, and Infantry of the Punjab Irregular Force ; Levies, Police, &c. from which Present States are required under existing orders, are directed to adopt the following form. The document should be prepared on half a sheet of foolscap paper. The " List of European Officers," and " Detail of Castes" being given on the reverse half page :—

Bi-monthly Present State, Regiment Punjab Infantry,

Dated

		Commandant.	2nd in Command.	Adjutant.	Doing duty.	Assistant Surgeon	Native Doctors.	Subadars.	Jemadars.	Havildars.	Naicks.	Buglers.	Sepoys.
Present,	Fit for duty,..................												
	On Regimental duty,.. ...												
	On Station duty,............												
	Sick in Hospital, ...												
	Drill Instructors, ...												
	Recruits, ...												
	Convalescents, ...												
	Total, ...												
Detached,	On Escort duty, ...												
	On Command, ...												
Absent,	On General Leave, ...												
	On Medical certificate, ...												
	Without Leave, ...												
	Not joined since appointed,........................												
	Recruiting, ...												
	On temporary leave, ...												
	In confinement at, ...												
	Total, ...												
	Wanting to complete, ...												
	Establishment,..............												
	Excess, ...												

Examined,

(Signed) E. F., *Lieut.*,
Adjutant, Regiment, Punjab Infantry.

(Signed) A. B.
Commanding, Regiment, Punjab Infantry.

List of European Officers.

Rank and Name.	Appointment.	Date of joining.	Remarks.
Captain A. B., ...	Commandant,	6th June, 1857.	
Lieut. C. D., ...	2nd in Command,	9th April, 1858,	Absent on 30 days' temporary leave
,, E. F., ...	Adjutant,	6th Aug., 1857,	Commanding Wing at Googaira.
,, G. H.,...............	Doing duty,	2nd May, 1858,	With Wing at Googaira.

Detail of Castes.

		Subadars or Resaldars.	Jemadars.	Havildars.	Naicks.	Sepoys, Sowars and Buglers.	Remarks.
Punjab, ..	Mahomedans,.........						
	Patans, ...						
	Seikhs, ...						
Hindoostan,	Mahomedans, ...						
	Brahmins, ...						
	Rajpoots, ...						
Goorkahs, or Hill men,........... ...							
Other classes,..........................							
Total, ...							

W. WYLD, *Captain,*

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 26TH JUNE, 1858.

No. 519.—The undermentioned Officers, recently appointed to the corps specified opposite to their respective nàmes, are directed to proceed and join by dawk, at the public expense :—

Lieut. S. Boulderson, Lind's Mooltanee Horse ;
Lieut. G. A. Prendergast, Cureton's Regiment of Mooltanee Cavalry ; and
Lieut. F. H. Macnaghten, Souter's Towanna Horse.

2ND BELOOCH BATTALION.

No. 520.—The Commissariat Officer at Mooltan is directed to disburse pay at the rates specified to the undermentioned establishments of the corps at Dera Ghazee Khan, with retrospective effect.

15 Bheesties @ 6 Rupees each per mensem.
1 Tindal @ 9 Rupees 8 annas ditto.
10 Lascars @ 5 Rupees 12 annas ditto.

No. 521.—The following order issued by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief on the 10th instant, is re-published for general information :—

" Under instructions from Government the Commander-in-Chief directs that, until further orders, no Native Soldiers, regular or irregular, serving at stations east of the Sutledge, shall be allowed to bear arms of any kind when absent from their regiments, otherwise than on duty.

2.—The weapons of men proceeding on leave are to be deposited in the bells of arms until their return.

3.—Officers Commanding Divisions and stations are held strictly responsible for the due observance of this order."

(True Copy.)

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Military Secretary.

23RD REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 522.—Regimental Order, dated 15th June, by Captain Bloomfield, Commanding, appointing Lieut. T. R. Davidson, acting Adjutant, to the Left Wing at Kanound, is confirmed.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 523.—Lieut. J. R. Auldjo, of the late 36th Native Infantry, to officiate as a Lieut. of Police, and to command the Police Battalion now being raised at Lahore.

CURETON'S MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 524.—Regimental Order, dated 8th June, by Captain Cureton, commanding, appointing Lieutenant and Acting Adjutant B. N. Smith to act as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, *vice* Lieutenant Williams permitted to proceed to Mussooree, in anticipation of leave on medical certificate, is confirmed, as a temporary arrangement.

PUNJAB MOUNTED POLICE, LAHORE DIVISION.

PROMOTION.

No. 525.—Duffadar Fouzdar Sing to be Jemadar in room of Jemadar Ahmud Khan, deceased, with effect from 5th June 1858.

No. 526.—In consideration of the faithful services to the state rendered by the undermentioned Native Commandants and Adjutants of Police Battalions during the mutiny, the Chief Commissioner has the pleasure, with the sanction of the Right Honorable the Governor General, to confer on them the following rewards and distinctions :—

Commandants.

Mota Sing, 1st Battalion, Utter Sing, 2nd ,, Budree Nauth, 3rd ,, Moossuddiemull, 5th ,, Meer Akbar Ally Shah, 6th Battalion, Deva Sing, 7th Battalion,	To each the rank and title of Sirdar Badadoor and a personal allowance of 100 Rs. monthly, in addition to present allowances.
Commandant Futteh Sing, of the 4th Battalion.	The rank and title of Sirdar Bahadoor, and a Jageer of the value of 1200 Rs. per annum, in addition to his present allowances.

Adjutants Shadee Khan, 1st Battalion, Doola Sing, 2nd Battalion, Sooraj Ally, 3rd ,, Ameer Khan, 4th ,, Mola Bux, 5th ,, Peer Bux, 6th ,, Gomes Allard, 7th ,,	To each a personal allowance of 30 Rs. per mensem, in addition to present pay.

The above rewards are to have effect from 1st January last, and to be continued so long as those Officers may hold their present appointments.

W. WYLD, *Captain*,
Asst. Mily. Secretary.

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No. 34. **Wednesday, June 30, 1858.** Vol. 2,

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadub Chunder Ghose, to the Medical charge of the Civil Station of Jhung, as a temporary arrangement. Jadub Chunder Ghose will exercise the same judicial powers and receive the same allowances at Jhung, as he did at Googaira.

Assistant Surgeon A. L. S. Campbell, of the 16th Irregular Cavalry, to the Medical charge of the Jail and Civil Establishments at Googaira, in addition to his other duties, during the absence of Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadub Chunder Ghose.

The Supreme Government have been pleased to confirm Mr. W. Willmot, Officiating Executive Engineer Meean Meer Division, and Captain A. K. Moffat, Officiating Executive Engineer Lower Sirhind Division, in their present appointments. (P. W. Dept., No. 985, dated 29th June, 1858.)

3rd Class Native Doctor Cherinjoo, to the charge of the Kuchee Dispensary, in the Leia District. (General Dept No. 1,336, dated 30th June, 1858.)

Lieut. R. H. Hudleston, Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the Lahore District.

Lieut. G. G. Young, Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the Goojranwalla District.

LEAVE.

Lieut. J. T. Tovey, Assistant Engineer, Peshawur, has been granted 60 days' privilege leave from the 25th June 1858, on account of certified sickness. (P. W. Dept. No. 976-7, dated 28th June, 1858.)

TRANSFERS.

Captain T. W. Mercer, Assistant Commissioner, from the Ferozepoor to the Jullunder District.

Lieut. C. Hall, Assistant Commissioner, from the Goojranwalla to the Ferozepoor District.

Lieut. J. Ferris, Assistant Commissioner, from the Khangurh to the Dera Ismael Khan District.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

The following Orders by the Right Honorable the Governor General are re-published from the Gazette of the Governor General's Camp for general information.

No. 1,773.

Foreign Department.

ALLAHABAD, THE 21ST JUNE, 1858.

The Right Honorable the Governor General is pleased to make the following promotions in the Punjab Commission :—

To be 1st Class Deputy Commissioner.
Mr. H. Monckton.

To be 2nd Class Deputy Commissioner.
Captain J. E. Cracroft.

To be 3rd Class Deputy Commissioner.
Lieutenant H. J. Hawes.

To be 2nd Class Assistant Commissioner.
Mr. R. W. Thomas.

No. 1,773 A.

Mr. W. C. Plowden is appointed a 1st Class Assistant Commissioner in the Delhi Territory.

No. 38.

Public Works Department—Public.

ALLAHABAD, THE 21ST JUNE, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

Lieut. J. G. Forbes, of Engineers, to be a probationary Assistant Engineer in the Department Public Works. Lieutenant Forbes will

proceed to join the 1st Division Baree Doab Canal.

(True Copies.)
R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated Lahore, 29th June 1858.

With reference to the Rules for the examination of Candidates for the Office of Extra Assistant Commissioners, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 19th instant, it is hereby requested that intending Candidates will signify their wishes to the Director of Public Instruction, who is also hereby authorized to hold an Examination in April as well as in November of each year, should he find it convenient to do so.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commissioner.

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No. 2357.

FROM

E. THORNTON, ESQUIRE,
Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab,

To

THE COMMR. AND SUPDT.,
Division.

Dated Lahore, the 23rd June 1858.

Judicial. (Criminal.)

SIR,—I have the honor to state, for the information and guidance of your District Officers, that the undermentioned revised scale of rewards for the destruction of Wild Beasts has been sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner, in his Secretary's letter No. 402, dated 17th June:—

Bears, male or female, ...	Rupees	6 0 0	Each.
Do. Cubs, ...	,,	3 0 0	,,
Leopards, male or female,	,,	6 0 0	,,
Do. Cubs, ...	,,	3 0 0	,,
Wolves, male or female,	,,	5 0 0	,,
Do. Cubs, ...	,,	1 0 0	,,

2nd. This scale is in supercession of the one established by Government letter No. 2,680, dated 23rd August 1851.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
E. THORNTON,
Judicial Commissioner.

No. OF 1858-9.

FROM

THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab, Lahore.*

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of ____________

Dated Lahore, 21st June 1858.

Circular No. 25.

SIR,—As it is found impracticable to effect a satisfactory and early adjustment of the head of Remittances of the Post Office Department, in consequence of the receipts from, and payments to, the Deputy Post Masters, not being, in many cases, exhibited in the body of the Treasury Accounts for the months in which such transactions have occurred, I have the honor to request that you will be good enough in future to charge all payments that you may make to those officers, whether on audited bills or on their receipts, in the month in which the disbursements may be incurred; and afford immediate credit for all sums received from them under the head "To and By Remittances of the Post Office Department" respectively.

2nd.—For the mode of dealing with applications for advances on account of the Post Office Department, I beg to refer you to the Agra Accountant's Circular D, dated 25th July 1856. No deviation from the rules therein laid down should be permitted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt. servant,

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore,
The 21st June, 1858.

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

HEAD CLERK, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE. SALARY RS. 150

Wanted at Hoshyarpoor, consequent on the advancement of the present incumbent to a better appointment. Applications with copies of certificates to be forwarded, post paid, to Deputy Commissioner.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 30TH JUNE, 1858.

No. 528.—With reference to Punjab Order No. 454, of the 4th instant, Officers in Command of Regiments of the Punjab Force, in transmitting Bills for carriage, should, as far as it is practicable, include all charges on this account for the preceding month in one Bill. The practice of preparing separate Bills for the carriage of each Detachment that goes on command, entails additional work on the offices in which such accounts are adjusted, and is unnecessary.

13TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 529.—Regimental order dated 19th June, by Lieutenant J. B. Cox, assuming Command of the Corps, and directing Lieutenant and Adjutant Ruxton to act as 2nd in command, and Ensign Scott, doing duty, as Adjutant, with effect from the 16th instant, consequent on the death of Captain E. S. Garstin, is confirmed.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 530.—Regimental Order dated 15th June, by Captain R. Larkins, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant and Adjutant C. W. Cripps to

act as 2nd in Command in addition to his other duties, in room of Lieutenant J. W. Hoggan, proceeded on leave, on Medical Certificate, is confirmed.

1st REGIMENT SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 531.—Regimental Order dated 15th June, by Lieutenant the Honorable F. A. J. Chichester, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant R. F. Godby, Officiating 2nd in command, to officiate also as Adjutant, in room of Lieutenant A. W. J. Montgomerie, directed to join his Regiment, the 2nd European Light Cavalry, is confirmed.

CIS-SUTLEJ DIVISION MOUNTED POLICE.

TRANSFER.

No. 532.—Subadar Jowalla Singh, from the 14th Punjab Infantry, to be Ressaldar of the recently sanctioned Ressallah.

22nd PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 533.—Brevet Captain W. J. Ward, of the late 51st Native Infantry, to do duty, and during the period Captain Ouseley exercises command of the Corps, to officiate as 2nd in command.

TRANSFER.

No. 534.—Lieutenant and Adjutant G. F. Graham, from Raja Jowahir Singh's Contingent, to do duty with the Sirsa District Police Force, on a Staff salary of Rupees 167 per mensm.

18th REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 535.—Regimental order of the 18th June, by Captain King, Commanding, appointing Lieut. C. Hunter, H. M.'s 81st Regiment, to officiate as Adjutant, is confirmed.

9th REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 536.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what Rank Promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Havildars.			
Bhola Singh, ...	Jemadar,	From 1st July 1858.	To fill existing vacancies.
Akbur Khan,...	ditto,		
Abdoola Khan,...	ditto,		
Hira Singh, ...	ditto,		

LAHORE, 30th JUNE 1858.

9th PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 537.—Lieutenant O. Menzies, of the 35th Native Infantry, to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant R. H. Hudlestone, nominated an Assistant Commissisoner.

4th PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 538.—Naib Ressaldar Gholam Kadir Khan is suspended from rank, pay, and allowances for two months, with effect from such date as the Brigadier General Commanding Punjab Irregular Force may direct.

No. 539.—The Extra Bargeers sanctioned to Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers of Cavalry by Punjab Orders No. 208, dated 28th September 1857, are to be gradually absorbed in all Mounted Corps, as casualties occur, until the number is reduced to that authorized by Government, as detailed in Section XXII., Para. 41, Pay and Audit Regulations.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Military Secretary.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Mr. Sub-Engineer C. Harding, attached to the Lower Sirhind Division of Public Works, for 6 months, on medical certificate, from the 16th May 1858.

P. W. Dept., No. 1008 9, dated 3rd July 1858.

APPOINTMENT.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bany Madub Tagore reported his arrival at Lahore, and has been posted to Loodiana.

Genl. Dept., No. 1382, dated 3d July 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commissioner.

No. OF 1858-9.

FROM

THE ACCOUNTANT, *Punjab*,
Lahore,

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of ________________

Dated Lahore, 30th June 1858.

Circular No. 26.

SIR,—I have the honor to request, with reference to instructions issued by the Accountant General to the Government of India, that you will, until further orders, credit to the head "Profit and Loss on account of the Mutiny," the revenues or sale proceeds of all estates, as well as other property confiscated by Government, in consequence of the disloyalty of the Proprietors.

2nd.—I take this opportunity of requesting further, in modification of my Circular instructions No. 12, dated 3rd April last, that you will indicate the heads "Mutiny and Profit and Loss on account of the Mutiny," whenever they may occur in your accounts under the Punjab Section, instead of under "Government of India."

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt. servant,

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 30th June, 1858.

JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

HEAD CLERK, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE. SALARY RS. 150

Wanted at Hoshyarpoor, consequent on the advancement of the present incumbent to a better appointment. Applications with copies of certificates to be forwarded, post paid, to Deputy Commissioner.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION

LAHORE, 1ST JULY, 1858.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 540.—Havildar Koolee Khan, from the 8th Punjab Infantry, to be Jemadar.

No. 541.—The Abbottabad Station order, dated 18th May, 1857, by Captain O. E. Rothney, Commanding, directing Lieutenant H. L. C, Bernard, 2nd Sikh Infantry, to receive charge of the Station Staff Office from Lieutenant Hewett, 4th Sikh Infantry, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 2ND JULY 1858.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 542.—On the recommendation of Major General Sir Sydney Cotton, K. C. B., the following soldiers of the 18th Punjab Infantry are

admitted to the 3rd class of the Order of Merit, for distinguished bravery in the Field.

Subadars. 1. Abdoola Khan, 2. Sahib Sing, *Havildar.* 1. Shah Gool,	For conspicuous gallantry in action on the heights above Satana on the 4th May 1858.

LAHORE, 3RD JULY 1858.

N. 543.—The entertainment of two Chowkedars from 1st March, by the Executive Officer Western Sirhind Division, for the protection of vacant buildings at Loodiana, under the authority of a Sirhind Division Order dated 15th April last, is sanctioned.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 544.—Sepoy Khan Sing, from the 10th Punjab Infantry.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 545.—Lieutenant R. S. Robertson, of the 7th Native Infantry, to do duty as a supernumerary, with effect from the 18th ultimo.

SEALKOTE LEVY.

PROMOTION.

No. 546.—Havildar Emambux to be Jemadar from the 1st *instant.*

LAHORE LIGHT HORSE.

No. 547.—The Regimental order, dated 22nd ultimo, by Captain Balmain, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant T. C. Graham to officiate as Adjutant, in room of Lieutenant Copeland, deceased, is confirmed.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Military Secretary.

KUNNIAH LALL.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

Punjab Gazette.

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1858.

The Chief Commissioner being anxious that the existing orders regarding the bearing, manufacture, sale, and possession of arms should be strictly and continuously carried out; and that all Civil Officers should be duly informed of the rules which have from time to time been issued on this important subject, has caused the following papers to be re-published in a connected form :—

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

CIRCULAR No. 212, OF 1849.

To the Commissioners and Superintendents of Lahore, Jelum, Mooltan and Leia.

2d July, 1849.

By direction of C. G. Mansel and J. Lawrence, Esquires, Members.

* No. of Proclamation sent; see end.

I am directed by the Board of Administration to forward for distribution throughout your division, the original English and Vernacular Proclamation noted in the margin* prohibiting, except under certain conditions, the manufacture, sale and possession of weapons, or munitions of war, in the countries between the Indus on the West, and the Sutlej and Beeas on the East, exclusive of Hazara.

2.—The Board request that you will apportion these among the districts under your authority, according to the number and character of the population. In each district, one English proclamation will be required at the Sudur station, and at every out-station, where there is a European officer, to be suspended in the Criminal Court. And one English proclamation should be furnished by the district officer to every cantonment in the limits of his charge, for the information of the officer commanding, and all under his authority.

3.—The Vernacular proclamation should be put up in the Criminal Court at the Sudur station, out-stations, and in every Revenue and Police post, whether large or small. And any that remain over, may, with advantage, be divided among the larger villages, which are not the seat of a Revenue or a Police station.

4.—But the Board request that you will point out to the district officers that the distribution of the proclamation is not sufficient; the meaning should be explained by beat of drum in every large village, and further the Kardars should summon all the head men in their respective jurisdictions, and point out to them, separately and collectively, the full purport and penalties of the proclamation. And the district officers and their subordinates should themselves lose no opportunity of making its contents widely known.

5.—The Board have solicited Major General Sir Walter Gilbert, K. C. B., Commanding Punjab Division, to have the proclamation read out and explained to every Regiment and in every Military bazar, so that the camp-followers and others, not exempted from its operation, may be made aware of its penalties. Copy of my letter on this subject, No. 213, dated 2d July, to the address of the Deputy-Assistant Adjutant General, Punjab Division, is annexed for your information.

6.—You will observe that the district officers are empowered to grant licenses for the manufacture, sale, and possession of gunpowder and weapons of war. The Board on this point request your attention to the following observations :—

7.—In license No. 1, to have and carry arms, the number and description of the weapons, or the quantity of powder allowed, must be distinctly recorded. The grantee must be made to understand that the license is not transferable even to a near relative, is valid for one year only, after the lapse of which it must be renewed, and will pass him only for the weapons and gunpowder named in it. Any difference in the number or description of the weapons, or in the weight of gunpowder, if in excess, will subject him to the penalties of the proclamation. And he should further be told that he is bound, if wearing arms, to produce his license to any one duly authorized to demand it.

8.—The district officers should be careful that these licenses are only granted to persons of approved character, or who can produce at least one satisfactory surety for their good behaviour. Under no circumstances should they be given to parties without any ostensible means of subsistence.

9.—Natives of rank, chiefs, and holders of rent-free villages, whose fidelity was unshaken during

the late disturbances, may be allowed to obtain licenses for a limited number of followers. But these licenses must not be general or transferable; each license must be made out in the name of a particular individual, and will be valid in his hands only.

10.—Similar remarks apply to license No. 2, to make and sell gunpowder, and license No. 3, to make and sell weapons of war. They are not transferable, are valid for one year only, and must be produced whenever demanded by competent authority. Any manufacturer having in his possession a larger supply of gunpowder or arms than his license covers, will be liable to punishment.

11.—These licenses are far more important than those for the mere possession of arms; and other restrictions on the grant of them are necessary. They should not be given to any but respectable householders, and not to them unless they can produce two respectable sureties, bound in penalties, that they will not infringe the terms of the proclamation and the rules laid down in this letter. The grantees must be warned that they can sell only to parties producing a license to possess gunpowder or weapons of war, and according to the terms of it. They must always report weekly at the nearest Police station, the number of sales they have effected, on penalty of forfeiture of license. This report should be entered in the Thana diary. The quantity of gunpowder allowed under license No. 1, to an individual, should not exceed ten seers, and under license No. 2, to a manufacturer, ten maunds.

12.—And further, the Board request that you will instruct the district officers to limit the issue of these licenses to make and sell gunpowder and arms. The supply of weapons in the country is very great, and far exceeds the legitimate wants of the people. And it is plain that if a large number of licenses for the sale and manufacture of arms are granted, it will be difficult, if not impossible, to check the illicit possession of them.

13.—As stated in the proclamation, these licenses, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, do not extend to the manufacture, sale, or possession of cannon of any description, or ammunition for cannon. These are altogether contraband.

14.—The licenses Nos. 1, 2 and 3, should be granted only at the Sudur station. Every license should be in English and Oordoo, signed by the officer in charge of the district, and sealed with his Office Seal. For each kind, a separate Register, and distinct series of numbers should be kept. The forms of these Registers are annexed for your information. The cancelment of any license should be entered, with the date in the column of remarks.

15.—In conclusion, the Board request your special attention to the working of this proclamation, and the instructions herewith conveyed. The object is to disarm generally the population of the Punjab. The possession of weapons is a privilege, not a right, and will be granted only to parties of approved character, or for whom others will give valid security. It will be extended to none who are unable, or unwilling to seek in peaceful pursuits an honest livelihood.

Number of Proclamations forwarded with each Circular,—(vide Marginal note, Para: 1.)

Name of Division.	English Proclamations.	Oordoo and Goormookhee Proclamations.
Lahore,...	15	125
Jhelum,...	12	100
Mooltan, ...	7	75
Leia, ...	5	50
Cis-Indus Districts,	39	350

PROCLAMATION.

It is hereby notified and proclaimed for general information, by order of Government, that the possession of gunpowder and warlike weapons of every description, is prohibited to all classes in the Punjab, with the exceptions herein enumerated.

2.—The owners of gunpowder and warlike weapons are hereby required to surrender them to the servants of Government at the nearest Police station.

3.—All persons convicted of wearing arms, or having them, or any munitions of war in their possession, except with a written license under the hand and seal of a British functionary duly authorized to grant the same, shall be liable to punishment.

4.—All owners of villages, forts, boats, houses and buildings of every description, in which unlicensed gunpowder, weapons, or munitions of war may be found, shall, on conviction, be liable to punishment.

5.—All persons who shall make or sell gunpowder, or warlike weapons, except with a written license under the hand and seal of a British functionary authorized to grant the same, shall be liable to punishment.

6.—Any person convicted of a breach of any article of this Proclamation, shall be liable for the first offence, to a fine not exceeding Co.'s Rs. one thousand, (1,000,) or in default of payment to simple imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months.

7.—Any person convicted a second time of a breach of this Proclamation, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Co.'s Rs. two thousand, (2,000,) or in default of payment, to simple imprisonment for a period not exceeding twelve months, and in addition, to the resumption of whatever pension or rent-free lands he may possess and the confiscation of his rights and interests in any boat, house, building, or land in which proclaimed weapons or munitions of war may have been found.

8.—Any person giving information which may lead to the discovery of concealed weapons, gunpowder, or munitions of war, shall be entitled to a moiety of any fine realized on conviction, or in default of payment, to such reward as may appear proper with reference to the value of the information he may have given.

9.—The classes exempted from the penalties of this proclamation are, European British subjects, British soldiers while present with their Regiments, or on service, and Government officials employed on civil duties.

10.—The Deputy Commissioners, and other officers in charge of districts in the Punjab are

hereby empowered and enjoined to grant under certain rules, which will be communicated to them, licenses duly signed and sealed, to carry and possess, or make and sell, gunpowder and warlike weapons to parties of approved character, whom they may consider trustworthy.

11.—But no license so granted shall confer any right to make, sell or posssess cannon of any description, or ammunition for cannon.

12.—These licenses shall not be transferable, shall be valid for one year only, and shall cover nothing which is not distinctly specified in them.

13.—The penalties of this Proclamation will be enforced on and after the first day of October, 1849, but its provisions shall not extend to Hazara and the Trans-Indus districts.

No. 1.

Form of License to carry and possess Weapons or Gunpowder, or both ; Zillah ________

Office Seal.

No. ______ of 1849.

This is to certify that ________ son of ________ of the ________ caste, aged ____ years, resident of ________ in Purgunnah ________ Zillah ________ is licensed for one year, from this date, to carry and possess the Gunpowder and Weapons enumerated below. This license is not transferable.

NAME OF WEAPON.	NUMBER.

________ Weight of Gunpowder ________ Seers

Magistrate's Office,
Zillah ________
________ 1849 ________
Regd. and Examined,
________ Head Clerk.
Depy. Comm'r.

Form of Register for License No. 1.

No. of License.	Date.		Name of Grantee.	Father's Name.	Caste.	Age.			Residence.			Weapons		Securities if any, with Residence.	Remarks.
						Years.	Months.	Days.	District.	Purgh.	Village.	Name.	Number.		

No. II.

Form of License to make and sell Gunpowder.
Zillah ________

Office Seal.

No. ________ 184

This is to certify that ________ ________ son of ________ of the ________ caste, aged ________ years, resident of ________ in Purgunnah ________ in Zillah ________ is licensed for one year, from the date of this, to make Gunpowder and sell it to parties duly licensed to purchase it, in quantities not exceeding the weight specified in their licenses ; and is further licensed to have on hand a stock of Gunpowder not exceeding (10) maunds. This license is not transferable.

Magistrate's Office,
Zillah ________
________ 184 ________
Regd. and Examined,
________ Head Clerk.
Deputy Commissioner.

Form of Register for License No. II.

No. of License.	Date.		Grantee's Name.	Father's Name.	Caste.	Age.			Residence.			Gunpowder allowed in Store.	Securities with Residence.	Amount Recognizance.	Remarks.
						Years.	Months.	Days.	Village.	Purgunnah.	Zillah.				

No. III.

Form of License to make and sell Warlike Weapons, Zillah ________

Office Seal.

No. ________ of 184

This is to certify that ________ son of ________ of the ________ caste, aged ________ years, Resident of ________ in Purgunnah ________ Zillah ________ is licensed for one year, from this date, to make and sell Arms to persons licensed to purchase, in quantities not exceeding the number entered in their licenses ; and is further licensed to have on hand a stock of weapons not exceeding the number noted below. This license is not transferable.

NAME OF WEAPON.	NUMBER.
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————	————

Magistrate' s Office,
Zillah
184
Regd. and Examined,
Head Clerk.

Depy. Commr.

Form of Register for License No. III.

No. of License.	DATE		Name of Grantee.	Father's Name.	Caste.	AGE. Years.	Months.	Days.	RESIDENCE Village.	Purgh.	Zillah.	Weapons Manufactured.	No. allowed in Store.	Securities with Residence.	Amount Recognizance.	REMARKS.

CIRCULAR No. 317.

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE
Board of Administration,

To

THE COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENTS, *Lahore, Moolton, Jhelum and Leia Divisions.*

Dated Lahore, 2nd August, 1849.

Judicial Department.

By order of C. G. Mansel, Esq., and J. Lawrence, Esquire, Members.

SIRS.—With reference to my Circular to your address, No. 212, dated 2nd July, prohibiting, except under certain restrictions, the possession of gunpowder or warlike weapons in the countries, exclusive of Huzara, between the Indus and Beas, I am directed to forward for your information and guidance, copies of the correspondence* noted in the margin.

* Paras. 3 and 4, No. 40, dated 2nd July, from Secretary Board of Administration to Secretary Government of India, with Governor General, No. 1,279, dated 25th July, in reply.

2.—You will observe that the Governor General has been pleased to sanction the recommendation of the Board, that the Licenses† to make and sell gunpowder, or warlike weapons, should be granted on stamp paper of sixteen (16) Rupees value; and License‡ to carry and possess gunpowder and warlike weapons, on stamp paper of two (2) Rupees value. These Licenses will be respectively valid for one year only from the date of grant, after which they must, if required, be renewed, as stated in para. 7 &c. of my Circular above referred to.

† Licenses, Nos. 2 and 3.

‡ License, No. 1.

3.—You will be good enough to issue early instructions to your subordinates to carry these orders into effect, and grant no Licenses, except on stamp paper of the values stated above. You will also direct your subordinates to submit to you monthly returns of the number of each description of Licenses granted by them, with brief remarks on the working of this important measure. These returns, condensed into one statement for your whole division, you will forward monthly to the Board.

4.—To ensure *uniformity*, I am directed to enclose forms for these monthly reports.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. CHRISTIAN,

Secretary to the Board of Administration.

Monthly Return of Licenses No. 1, 2, 3, granted in Zilla during the month of

Number of License.	Number granted.	Remarks by District Officers.
No. 1,	50	
No. 2,	1	
No. 3,	2	

Monthly Return of Licenses Nos. 1, 2, 3, granted in division during the month of

Name of District.	Number of Licenses.			Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by Commissioners.
	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.		

CIRCULAR No. 538.

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE *Board of Administration,*

To

THE COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENTS *Cis and Trans-Sutlej States.*

Dated Lahore, 26th September 1849.

Judicial Department.

By direction of Sir H. M. Lawrence, K.C.B., President, C. G. Mansel, Esquire, and J. Lawrence, Esq., Members.

SIRS.—I am directed by the Board to forward copies of the proclamation and their Circulars, marginally* noted, prohibiting the possession of gunpowder and warlike weapons of every description to all classes in the Punjab, *with the exceptions* therein enumerated.

* No. 212, dated 2nd July.
No. 317, dated 2nd August.

2.—Though this proclamation had no reference to your division, yet, it occurring to the Board that in course of next month Sepoys will be returning from their homes to their Regiments, and will be armed in crossing the Beas and Sutlej rivers, and thus become involved in liabilities to the new law,—the Board, with a view to prevent inconvenience, consider it expedient to allow them to receive Licenses according to the prescribed form on plain paper; but you are requested to explain to your subordinates, that these Licenses are to be given only to individuals, *bonâ fide* Soldiers, and not to be transferable.

3.—For this purpose, you will be good enough to issue the necessary instructions to the District Officers in your division, to carry out this measure by giving Licenses on plain paper to such Sepoys as may apply for them, or may be found in their Districts, under the circumstances above explained.

4.—And these Licenses will be of the form prescribed in the Board's Circular, No. 317, dated 2nd August, with the addition of a clause shewing from what place to what place the License is valid, as per margin.*

* This License is valid from Jullundur to Lahore.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. CHRISTIAN,

Secy. to the Board of Administration.

CIRCULAR No. 539.

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE *Board of Administration,*

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS IN THE *Punjab, and Deputy Commissioners of Peshawur and Huzara.*

Dated Lahore, 26th Sept., 1849.

Judl. Department.

By direction of Sir H. M. Lawrence, K.C.B., President, C. G. Mansel, Esq., & J. Lawrence, Esq., Members.

Vide Circular No. 212, dated 2nd July, 1849.

SIRS,—It occurring to the Board that, in the course of next month, sepoys will be returning from their homes, and will be armed in crossing the Beas and Sutlej rivers, and thus become liable to the penalties of the new Law regarding arms, I am directed to inform you that, with a view to prevent inconvenience, they have considered it expedient to allow them to receive Licenses on plain paper; but you are requested to understand that these Licenses are only to be given to individuals *bona fide* soldiers, and not to be transferable.

2.—And these Licenses will be of the form prescribed in the Board's Circular No. 317, dated 2nd August, with the addition of a clause shewing from what place to what place it is valid, as per margin.*

This Licence is valid from Jullundhur to Lahore.

I have, &c.,

G. J. CHRISTIAN,

Secy. to the Board of Administration.

No. 540.

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE *Board of Administration,*

To

CAPTAIN BURROUGHS, *Deputy Assistant Adjutant General, Punjab Division, Lahore.*

Dated Lahore, 26th Sept., 1849.

SIR,—I am directed by the Board to transmit

Judl. Department.

By direction of Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B., President. C. G. Mansel, Esq., & J. Lawrence, Esq., Members.

* No. 538. dated 26th Sept., 1849
No. 539. dated 26th Sept., 1849

for the information of Major General Sir W. R. Gilbert, G. C. B., commanding the Division, copies of their Circulars, marginally* noted, and to request that their contents may be generally made known in the Sirhind and Punjab Divisions, in order that sepoys going on, and returning from, furlough, may be spared any unnecessary inconvenience or detention.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. CHRISTIAN,

Secy. to the Board of Administration.

CIRCULAR NO. 28.

No. 542.

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE

Board af Administration,

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS

in the Punjab, and to the Supdt. Hill States.

Dated Lahore, 6th June, 1850.

Judl. Department.

By direction of Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B., President C. G. Mansel, Esq., & J. Lawrence, Esq., Members.

SIRS,—When any of the Chiefs named in the annexed list, or their sons, or confidential Officers specially deputed by them to the Board, visit the Punjab, the prohibition against the bearing of arms may be relaxed in their favor and in favor of their attendants.

2.—One License or general pass (on blank paper) may be given on such occasions, to be returned on the return of the Chief, or party deputed.

3.—It is to be distinctly understood that this relaxation is not to apply to Vukeels residing in the Punjab, or to sepoys travelling, or sent on ordinary business, from the States named.

Maha Rajah of Jummoo.
Nawab of Bhawulpoor.
Maha Rajah of Puttiala.
Rajah of Jheend.
Rajah of Nabha.
Nawab of Mumdote.
Rajah of Nahun.
Sirdar of Kulsea.
Nawab of Maleir Kotela.
Rajah of Nalaghur.
Rajah of Belaspoor.
Rajah of Sukkeit.
Rajah of Mundee.
Rajah of Chumba.
Sirdar Aloowalla,
Rajah of Furreedkote.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) P. MELVILL,

Secy. to the Board of Administration.

CIRCULAR No. 6.

No. 290.

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE

Board of Administration,

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS

in the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 3rd March, 1851.

Judicial Dept.

By order of C. G. Mansel, Esq., Member.

SIRS,—The Board have observed that in some parts of the Punjab, the people appear to have been so completely disarmed, that there is not a matchlock in a village. The prohibition part of the arms proclamation seems alone to have been understood, and not the permission to take out licenses, hence wolves and hyennas are getting numerous, and the people suffer inconvenience.

2nd.—You are requested to remind your District Officers, that where villagers are known to be well affected to Government, there is no objection to the head men having one or two matchlocks in their village; and that where wolves and hyennas abound, if the people want a moderate number of matchlocks, and are known to be loyally disposed, they might be supplied from the local stores, each man taking out a license for the same. This order merely refers to the facility of bearing arms. The usual stamp license must be taken in every case.

I have, &c.

(Signed) P. S. MELVILL,

Secretary to the Board of Administration.

Rules and Regulations for sale, &c., of Arms in Military Cantonments.

1st.—Camp followers of every description, and all other native non-Military persons in the Punjab, are already subject to the Punjab's disarming Proclamation in all respects; and the following rules are framed for the purpose of defining the terms and conditions under which soldiers of the Native Army may possess and carry, purchase, and dispose of arms, or weapons, their private property.

2nd.—All Native Soldiers serving between the Indus on the West, and the Beas or Sutlej on the East, exclusive of Huzara, are prohibited from possessing private arms, or weapons of any description, unless the same shall have been duly entered in a registry, to be kept for this purpose in every Troop, Company or Detachment, under the authority of Commanding Officers.

3rd.—All native soldiers to be required to have all arms or weapons, their private property, duly entered in such registry, on pain of being brought to trial for breach of orders, and of having such property confiscated.

4th.—No individual native soldier is permitted to carry, or possess, more than one sword, and a pair of pistols; or one sword, and a dagger and a gun.

5th.—No native soldier off duty, shall be permitted to appear beyond the limits of Camp or

Cantonments carrying arms or weapons of any description, unless furnished with a Pass in writing from his commanding Officer, or other competent authority. Such Pass to specify the particular arms the individual is permitted to carry, and the number of hours, or days, for which it is to have effect.

6*th*.—Native soldiers are strictly prohibited from selling arms or weapons of any description to non-Military persons, unless the purchaser holds a license for the number and description of arms he requires; and all sales, or other disposal, of such arms by native soldiers, are to be reported for the information of Commanding Officers, and in view to their being struck out of the Registry of the Troop, Company or Detachment, in which they may have been entered.

7*th*.—A native soldier duly furnished with a Pass, or permission in writing from his Commanding Officer, or other competent authority, may purchase arms, to the extent noted in Para: 4, from any Government licensed vendor, or other party holding arms by license. Such Pass or permission to be valid, only for such number of hours, or days, as it may specify. Any purchases effected otherwise, or arms otherwise clandestinely acquired, will subject the soldier to trial for breach of orders, and the arms to confiscation.

8*th*.—All arms or weapons confiscated under the operation of the foregoing rules, are to be broken up, or otherwise destroyed.

9*th*.—When native soldiers proceed on Furlough, their leave certificate must contain, in English and vernacular, a detail of the number and description of weapons they carry, signed by the Commanding Officer; otherwise any arms they carry will be seized and confiscated. In no case are more arms to be entered in the leave certificate than are noted in rule 4.

(Signed) R. MONTGOMERY,

Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab.

CIRCULAR No. 28.

No. 1030.

From R. MONTGOMERY, Esq.,
Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab,

To ALL COMMISSIONERS,
Except Cis and Trans-Sutlej States,

Dated Lahore, the 11th April, 1854.

Judicial (*Miscellaneous.*)

SIR,—I have the honor to forward for your information and for the guidance of your District Officers, the accompanying copy of a General Order, issued by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief on the 27th ultimo, containing rules and restrictions under which native soldiers of the Company's Army, serving in the Punjab states, may carry and possess arms, or weapons, being their private property.

I have, &c.

(Signed) R. MONTGOMERY,

Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab.

Lahore,
The 11th April, 1854.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Head Quarters, Camp, Bellaspore,
27th March 1854.

Under instructions from the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to lay down the following rules for the possession, sale, or transfer of arms, by native soldiers serving in the Punjab States.

1.—All native soldiers serving in the Derajat, or in the Peshawur District, or between the Indus on the West and the Beas or Sutlej on the East, exclusive of Huzara, are prohibited from possessing private arms, or weapons of any description, unless the same shall have been duly entered in a Registry, to be kept for this purpose in every Troop, Company or Detachment, under the authority of commanding Officers.

2.—All native soldiers are to be required to have all arms or weapons, their private property, duly entered in such Registry, on pain of being brought to trial for breach of orders, and of having such property confiscated.

3.—No individual native soldier is permitted to carry, or possess, more than one sword, and a pair of pistols; or one sword, and a dagger and a gun.

4.—No native soldier off duty shall be permitted to appear beyond the limits of Camp or Cantonments, carrying arms or weapons of any description, unless furnished with a pass in writing from his Commanding Officer, or other competent authority. Such pass to specify the particular arms the individual is permitted to carry, and the number of hours or days for which it is to have effect.

5.—Native soldiers are strictly prohibited from selling arms, or weapons, of any description to non-Military persons, unless the purchaser holds a license for the number and description of arms he requires; and all sales or other disposal of such arms by native soldiers, are to be reported for the information of Commanding Officers, and in view to their being struck out of the Registry of the Troop, Company, or Detachment in which they may have been entered.

6.—A native soldier, duly furnished with a pass or permission in writing from his Commanding Officer or other competent authority, may purchase arms to the extent noted in Rule 3 from any Government licensed vendor, or other party holding arms by license, such pass or permission to be valid only for such number of hours or days as it may specify; any purchases effected otherwise, or arms otherwise clandestinely acquired, will subject the soldier to trial for breach of orders, and the arms to confiscation.

7.—All arms or weapons confiscated under the operation of the foregoing Rules, are to be broken up, or otherwise destroyed.

8.—When native soldiers proceed on furlough, their leave certificates must contain, in English and Vernacular, a detail of the number and description of weapons they carry, signed by the Commanding Officer; otherwise any arms they carry will be seized and confiscated. In no case

are more arms to be entered in the leave certificate than are noted in Rule 3.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) W. J. RAYNOR,

Superintendent.

No. 133.

From

M. P. EDGEWORTH, ESQUIRE,

Commissioner and Superintendent, Mooltan Division.

To

R. MONTGOMERY, ESQUIRE,

Judicial Commissioner, Lahore.

Dated Mooltan, the 11th May, 1854.

SIR,—As a difference of opinion has arisen between me and Major Hamilton, regarding the spirit in which Section 7 of the arms prohibitive rules* should be enforced, I have the honor to solicit instructions on the subject, which are the more necessary, as Major Hamilton has just been nominated to succeed me, and it would be improper to have conflicting orders passed on the subject.

* Circular 212 of 1849.

2nd.—Where a party has failed to receive his license for arms, is it imperative to confiscate them; or may he be allowed to renew his license after an interval, either with or without a fine for his neglect.

3rd.—It appears to me that it is not the object of Government to exact any extreme strictness in this point where the person is of respectability and has no evil intention in his neglect.

4th.—Major Hamilton is of a contrary opinion; and thinks that not only the arms should be confiscated and the party, fined, but that he be rendered for the future incapable of receiving a new license.

5th.—For the confiscation of the arms, there is warranty in the Circular quoted, though I do not think it is imperative in all instances, but that the power should be exercised with discrimination; in most instances, a fine would, I think, answer every purpose. For the last opinion, I cannot find any warranty in the Circulars.

6th—The subject has come before me on appeal of one Maroof Khan, a Pathan, who served under Major Edwardes during the rebellion.

7th.—In this case, I think that a fine of ten Rupees would have been sufficient, and that the confiscated arms may be restored to the applicant on his taking out a new license, which should be antedated from the time of expiry of the old one.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) M. P. EDGEWORTH,

Commissioner and Superintendent.

Mooltan, Commissioner's Office, The 11th May, 1854.

No. 1423 No. 160.

From

R. MONTGOMERY, ESQUIRE,

Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab,

To

P. MELVILL, ESQUIRE,

Secretary to the Chief Commissioner for the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, the 16th May, 1854.

Judicial (*Criminal.*)

SIR,—I have the honor to forward, for the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, a reference made to me by Mr. Edgeworth, regarding Section 7 of the Arms Act, as contained in the late Board's Circular No. 212, dated 2nd July 1849.

No. 133 dated 11th inst.

2.—It appears that there is a difference of opinion between Mr. Edgeworth and Major Hamilton, as to how a person should be treated, who neglected to renew his license and still retained his arms.

3.—I am of opinion that at the expiration of the license, and on its not being renewed, the person having arms, is subject to all the pains and penalties prescribed in the proclamation. But at the same time, I concur with Mr. Edgeworth in thinking that a somewhat lenient view should be taken of the offender's case; and think that generally, the imposition of a fine according to the circumstances in life of the offender, would be a sufficient punishment. In fact, the case is one calling for the exercise of considerable discretion. It may be that from the mere oversight of the date of renewal, or absence from home, or some other equally valid cause, a new license may not have been taken out; and in such cases, allowance may, I think, fairly be made.

4.—In the case which led to this reference, Major Hamilton confiscated the arms of one Maroof Khan, a Pathan of Mooltan, and refused to grant him another license. In his defence, Maroof Khan urged that he is a man of respectability, and aided the British Government at the siege of Mooltan. This the Commissioner confirms. His plea for not renewing his license at the proper time, is that he had gone to visit a shrine in the Bhawulpoor district, and had not returned till after the expiration of the term of the license; he states that he is a sportsman, and that depriving him of a license will be a great deprivation.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) R. MONTGOMERY,

Judicial Commissioner.

Lahore, the 16th May, 1854.

No. 258.

From P. MELVILL, ESQUIRE,

Secretary to the Chief Commissioner for the Punjab.

To R. MONTGOMERY, ESQUIRE,

Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, the 27th May, 1854.

Judicial.

SIR,—I have the honor, by desire of the Chief Commissioner, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.

160 of the 16th instant, with its enclosures from Mr. Edgeworth, regarding a difference of opinion between him and Major Hamilton relative to Section VII. of the Arms Act, and in reply to inform you that the Chief Commissioner concurs with you in the opinion expressed in the 3rd para. of your letter.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) P. MELVILL,

Secretary to the Chief Commissioner for the Punjab.

Lahore, the 27th May, 1854.

CIRCULAR NO. 42,

No. 1609.

From

R. MONTGOMERY, ESQUIRE,

Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab,

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS,

Except Mooltan, T.-S. States and C.-S. States.

Dated Lahore, the 5th June, 1854.

Judicial. (*Criminal*)

SIR,—I have the honor to forward for your information and guidance, copy of a correspondence as per margin,* having reference to the spirit in which the arms prohibitive rules, as prescribed in Section 7 of the late Board's Circular, No. 212 of 1849, should be enforced.

* No. 133, dated 11th May, from Commissioner, Mooltan Division, to Judicial Commissioner, No. 160/1423 16th idem.
From Judicial Commissioner, to the Secy. Chief Commissioner. His reply No. 258, dated 27th idem.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) R. MONTGOMERY,

Judicial Commissioner.

PROCLAMATION.

PREAMBLE.

Whereas it is expedient that the inhabitants of the Trans-Indus Territory and Huzara, while permitted to *possess* arms and gunpowder in their dwellings, for the protection of their lives and property from thieves and robbers, should be interdicted from *carrying* arms, or warlike weapons, in public, or on ordinary occasions; it is hereby, with the sanction of the Supreme Government, declared as follows:—

1.—Within the districts of Peshawur, Huzara, Kohat, Dera Ismael Khan and Dera Ghazee Khan. *all Persons*, with the exception to be hereinafter specified, are forbidden to wear, or carry arms, or warlike weapons, in public or on ordinary occasions

2.—All persons crossing the frontier of any of the above named districts, to and from independent territory, or moving from one place to another within British territory, with arms about their persons, or in their possession, are required to deposit them at the nearest Police station or post. All Police authorities and Military Guards, on the frontier or elsewhere, are authorized to examine such persons, and, if necessary, search their baggage in quest of arms.

3.—Any person contravening the above rules, may, on conviction before a Magistrate, be sentenced to the following penalties:—

For first offence; fine not exceeding Rs. 1,000, or in default of payment, to simple imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months.

For second offence; fine not exceeding Rs. 2,000, or in default of payment, simple imprisonment for a period not exceeding twelve months, and forfeiture of any pension or Rent-free grant held by the offender.

4.—The Police, or Military Guards on the frontier, are empowered and enjoined to seize and carry before the Magistrate persons found having arms contrary to this Proclamation, and also to lay information against those whom they believe to have broken these rules. Any party, (whether in the service of Government or not,) giving information, which may lead to the conviction of such offenders, shall be entitled to a moiety of any fine which may be realized.

5.—The classes exempted from this prohibition are:—

1*st.*—European British subjects.

2*nd.*—British Soldiers and Sepoys present with their Regiments or on service.

3*rd.*—Government officials employed on civil duties.

4*th.*—Persons licensed by the district officer to bear arms at all times, or holding a special pass.

5*th.*—Herdsmen and shepherds feeding or proceeding to feed their flocks or herds, on or near the outer ranges of hills, while so employed within limits, to be fixed by the district authorities.

6.—Licenses to bear arms at all times, or passes to carry arms for particular times, occasions, or purposes, may be granted by district officers, at their discretion, to persons of approved character, in the forms annexed hereto; and shall not be transferable, nor valid, for more than one year, nor cover more than is specified in them.

7.—The herdsmen and shepherds, above described, must be registered through the heads of the tribes, who will be held responsible for abuse of the privilege. The local limits, within which the exemption shall take effect, are to be fixed by district officers.

8.—The penalties of this Proclamation are to be enforced on and after the first day of July, 1855

By order of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

R. TEMPLE, *Secretary to the Chief Commissioner for the Punjab.*

Form of License to carry Weapons or Gunpowder, or both. Zillah __________

Office Seal.

No.

This is to certify that __________ son of __________ of the __________ caste, aged _____ years, resident of __________ in Purgunah __________ Zillah __________ is licensed for one year, from this date, to carry the Gunpowder and Weapons enumerated below. This License is not transferable.

Name of Weapon	Number.

Weight of Gunpowder______seers.

Magistrate's office,
*Zillah*__________
__________18 } *Deputy Commissioner.*

Form of Pass to carry Weapons or Gunpowder, or both; Zillah__________

No. **office Seal.**

This is to certify that __________ son of ______of the ______caste, aged ___ years, resident of __________in Purgunnah ______Zillah__________is permitted, from this date, to carry the Gunpowder and Weapons enumerated below, for the time, occasion, or purpose mentioned herein. This Pass is not transferable.

Name of Weapon.	Number.	Time, occasion, or purpose for which permission is given.

Weight of Gunpowder,________Seers.

Magistrate's Office,
*Zillah,*________
__________18 } *Deputy Commissoner,*

(Signed) R. TEMPLE,
Secretary.

No. 648.

From

R. TEMPLE, Esquire,
Secretary to Chief Commissioner, for the Punjab,

To

BRIGADIER N. CHAMBERLAIN,
Commanding Punjab Irregular Force, Abbottabad.

Dated Lahore, 28th July, 1855.

Political Dept.

Sir,—I am directed to reply to your letter, with its enclosures, representing that the Native Soldiers under your command would be inconvenienced by operation of the recent prohibition against arms-bearing in the Trans Indus Territory, unless the system of passes and registration prescribed in G. O. C. C. of the 27th March 1854 should remain in force.

2.—When promulgating the Proclamation, the Chief Commissioner intended that effect should continue to be given, as heretofore, to the G. O. above cited, as a matter of course, though no specific provision to that effect was inserted in the body of the Proclamation. To obviate any difficulty, the Chief Commissioner now proposes to add the following clause to Section 5 of the proclamation, which enumerates exceptions to the prohibition. " 6.—Native Soldiers holding Arms " under the circumstances and conditions speci- " fied in G. O. C. C. of the 27th March 1854, and " possessing written passes from their Commanding Officers." This, it is believed, will suffice for the object in view.

3.—The Civil Authorities will be instructed to recognize the passes as above described.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) R. TEMPLE,
Sey to Chief Commr. Punjab.

Lahore, 28th July, 1855.

Act No. XXVIII of 1857.

An Act relating to the importation, manufacture, and sale of Arms and Ammunition, and for regulating the right to keep or use the same.

Preamble.

Whereas it is expedient to regulate the importation, manufacture, and sale of Arms and Ammunition, and the right to keep or use the same; It is enacted as follows :

In places to which this Section is extended, written notice of the possession of Arms shall be given to the Magistrate.

1. In any District or place to which the provisions of this Section shall be extended by order of the Governor General of India in Council, or of the Executive Government of any Presidency or place, every person shall, within such time as shall be mentioned in the order, or, if no time be mentioned therein, within one week from the publication of the order in the District or place, give notice in writing to the Magistrate or other Officer specified by the Executive Government, of any fire-arms, bayonet, sword, spear, spear-head, or other deadly weapon to be specified in such order, which shall be in his possession, or shall be on his premises in the possession of any of his retainers or servants ; and shall also give immediate notice in writing of all other Arms of the like description which shall at any subsequent time come into his possession, or into the possession of any of his retainers or servants as aforesaid.

What to be specified in the notice.

The notice shall specify the number and description of the Arms so possessed, and also, in the case of Arms so possessed by retainers or servants, the names of such retainers or servants, and in what capacities they are respectively employed.

II. Whoever wilfully neglects to give such notice as aforesaid, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred Rupees; and all Arms in the possession of such person may be seized and shall be confiscated, if the convicting Magistrate shall so adjudge: and in case the Arms of which he shall so neglect to give notice shall exceed what may be considered reasonable for the private use of such person, he shall be liable to imprisonment with or without hard labor for a term not exceeding two years, and shall also be liable to a fine not exceeding five thousand Rupees; and all the Arms and any Ammunition or Military Stores in the possession of such person, or on his premises, shall be confiscated.

Penalty for wilful neglect to give notice.

III. The Magistrate shall cause to be prepared from such notices a register of the names of persons having Arms in their possession, and the number and description of such Arms; and shall also, at the request of any person giving such notice as aforesaid, deliver to him a certificate specifying the date of the notice, and the number and description of Arms specified therein.

Register to be prepared, and certificates to be granted on request.

IV. If, in the judgment of the Government or of the Magistrate, any such Arms as aforesaid, or any Ammunition in the possession of any person, cannot be left in such possession without danger to the public peace, it will be lawful for the Magistrate to cause such Arms or Ammunition to be seized and detained in safe custody for such time as may be deemed necessary.

Seizure and detention of Arms and Ammunition by the Magistrate.

V. In any District or place to which the provisions of this Section shall be extended by order of the Governor General of India in Council, or of the Executive Government of any Presidency or place, if any person goes armed with any such Arms as aforesaid, and shall not produce a certificate from a Magistrate or other Officer authorized by Government to grant licenses to go armed, that he has obtained such a license, or that he is exempted by Government from the foregoing provisions, or give reasonable proof of his being otherwise exempted from the said provisions, he shall be liable to be disarmed by any Magistrate, Deputy Magistrate, or Assistant to a Magistrate, or by any European Commissioned Officer in the service of Her Majesty or of the East India Company, or by any Member of a Volunteer Corps enrolled by authority of Government, whilst on duty, or by any Police Officer, if, in the judgment of such Magistrate or other person as aforesaid, it is dangerous to the public peace to allow such person to go armed. Provided always that, if any person shall have a license from the Magistrate of the District or place at which he resides or may be, to carry on a journey such Arms as the Magistrate may consider reasonable for his private use, and shall obtain from such Magistrate a certificate stating the name and address of the licensee, the route by which he intends to proceed, the time which such journey is expected to occupy, and the Arms which he is permitted to carry, such certificate shall have the same force and effect according to its tenor in every District or place specified therein as if leave to go armed had been granted by the Magistrate of such District or place.

In places to which this Section is extended, persons going armed, without leave of Magistrate or other authorized Officer, may be disarmed in certain cases.

What Officer, &c. authorized to disarm.

License to travellers to carry Arms.

VI. The foregoing provisions shall not apply to—

Exemptions.

1. Officers, Soldiers, and Sailors in the Military or Naval Service of Her Majesty, or of the East India Company, in respect of Arms and Ammunition kept by them for use in the public service.

Officers, Soldiers, and Sailors.

2. Members of Volunteer Corps in respect of such Arms and Ammunition.

Volunteers.

3. Police and Revenue Officers, and other persons, in respect of Arms and Ammunition furnished by Government for use in the public service, or provided by themselves with the sanction of Government for such use.

Police and Revenue Officers.

4. Such other persons as the Government may think fit to exempt from such provisions.

Other persons.

Arms and Ammunition belonging to any ship or vessel, not exceeding the reasonable armament thereof, shall also be exempt from such provisions.

Armament of ships exempt.

VII. If any person shall manufacture, repair, sell, or keep, or expose for sale, any Arms of the description hereinbefore mentioned, or shall manufacture, or sell, or keep or expose for sale percussion-caps, gunpowder, or other Ammunition, without a license to manufacture or deal in Arms or Ammunition, as the case may be, or contrary to any of the conditions contained in any such license, he shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred Rupees, in addition to double the value of any Arms or Ammunition sold; and all Arms and Ammunition belonging to the offender shall be forfeited if the convicting Magistrate shall so adjudge.

Penalty for manufacturing or dealing in Arms or Ammunition without license, or contrary to the conditions therein contained.

VIII Licenses to manufacture or deal in percussion-caps shall be granted by the Governor General in Council, or by the Executive Government, or by an Officer specially authorized by the Governor General in Council, or by the Executive Government to grant such licenses. Licenses to manufacture, or deal in Arms and Ammunition other than percussion-caps, may be granted by a Magistrate or by an Officer authorized by the Governor General in Council or by the Executive Government to grant such licenses.

Licenses by whom to be granted.

IX. Every person licensed to manufacture or deal in Arms, percussion-caps, or other Ammunition, shall enter, in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, an account of all the stock-in-trade which he may from time to time

Licensed manufacturers or dealers to enter in a book an account of stock in-trade, names of purchasers, &c.

have in his possession or under his control, and also the name and address of every purchaser of Arms or Ammunition sold by him, together with the nature, description, and quantity of such Arms or Ammunition. Such book shall be open at all times to inspection by the Magistrate or other duly authorized Officer, by whom copies may be taken of all entries therein contained. If any such person shall omit or fail duly to keep such a book, or to make therein all such entries as are hereby required, or if any person shall prevent or obstruct the inspection of such book, or shall make a false entry therein, he shall be liable for every such offence, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred Rupees, in addition to double the value of any Arms or Ammunition sold, of which he shall fail to make such entry, or respecting which he shall make a false entry; and if the offender be licensed to manufacture or deal in Arms or Ammunition, he shall also forfeit his license if the convicting Magistrate shall so adjudge.

Inspection of book.

X. The Magistrate or other Officer authorized by Government, may at any time enter the premises in which Arms or Ammunition shall be manufactured or kept by any licensed manufacturer of or dealer in Arms or Ammunition, in order to inspect the stock-in-trade of such manufacturer or dealer; and if any such manufacturer or dealer shall intentionally conceal from such Magistrate or other Officer as aforesaid any part of his stock-in-trade, or shall wilfully refuse to point out where the same is kept, he shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred Rupees; and all the stock-in-trade belonging to such person may be seized, and shall be confiscated if the convicting Magistrate shall so adjudge.

Magistrate or other Officer may inspect dealers' premises.

XI. Any license granted under the provisions of Section VIII. may be granted, subject to such conditions as shall be thought necessary, and may be revoked or suspended by the person or persons authorized to grant such licenses.

Revocation of license to manufacture or deal in Arms and Ammunition.

XII. No Arms or Ammunition, and no Sulphur or Saltpetre, shall be imported either by sea or by land into any part of the territories in the possession and under the Government of the East India Company, without the license of the Governor General in Council or of the Executive Government.

Arms, Ammunition, and Sulphur, &c., not to be imported without license.

XIII. If any person shall import or attempt to import without such license, either by sea or by land, into any part of the said territories, any Arms or Ammunition, or any Sulphur or Saltpetre; or shall aid or assist in such importation, or in such attempt to import; or shall knowingly conceal or assist in concealing any Arms or Ammunition, or any Sulphur or Saltpetre, imported without such license—he shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to imprisonment with or without hard labor for any term not exceeding two years, and also to a penalty not exceeding one thousand Rupees; and the articles so imported shall be confiscated if the convicting Magistrate shall so adjudge.

Penalty for importation without license.

XIV. The provisions of the two last preceding Sections shall not extend to Arms and Ammunition imported in reasonable quantities for private use; but the Collector of Customs may at any time detain any such articles, if he shall think it necessary, until he shall receive the orders of Government. Nothing in this Section shall exempt any person from the obligation of giving any notice required by this Act.

Importation of Arms and Ammunition for private use.

XV. The Governor General in Council may by order prohibit the transport of Arms, Ammunition, Military Stores, Sulphur, or Saltpetre, or any particular description of Arms, Ammunition, or Military Stores, from one part of India to another, or the transport thereof in any particular direction, to be specified in the order, or prohibit the transport thereof, except according to such rules and conditions as may be specified in the order; and the Executive Government of any Presidency or place shall have the like power within the territories under their Government.

Government may prohibit transport of Arms, Ammunition, Military Stores, &c.

XVI. If any person shall transport or cause to be transported, or shall attempt to transport or cause to be transported, or shall aid in transporting, any Arms, Ammunition, Military Stores, Sulphur, or Saltpetre, contrary to such order or to the rules and conditions specified therein, he shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred Rupees; and the articles transported or attempted to be transported shall be confiscated. If any person shall by concealment or other device transport or cause to be transported, or attempt to transport or cause to be transported, such Arms, Ammunition, Military Stores, Sulphur, or Saltpetre, he shall, in addition to the penalty hereby provided, be liable upon such conviction, to imprisonment with or without hard labor for a term not exceeding two years.

Penalty for prohibited transport.

XVII. If any person shall be found carrying or conveying Arms, Ammunition, Military Stores, Sulphur, or Saltpetre, in such a manner or under such circumstances as to afford just grounds of suspicion that the same are being carried by such person with intent to use the same, or that the same may be used for any unlawful purpose dangerous to the public peace, it shall be lawful for any of the public Officers mentioned in Section V. of this Act, or for any other person, to apprehend without warrant the person so carrying or conveying such Arms Ammunition, Military Stores, Sulphur, or Saltpetre, and to detain such person in custody in order that he may be dealt with according to law. If any

Persons carrying arms, &c., under suspicious circumstances may be apprehended without warrant.

Procedure if apprehended by other than Magistrates, &c.

person be apprehended by a person not being a Magistrate, Deputy Magistrate, or Assistant to a Magistrate, or Police Officer, he shall be delivered over as soon as possible to a Police Officer; and all persons apprehended by or delivered to a Police Officer under the provisions of this Act, shall be carried before a Magistrate or other Officer competent by law to punish him for the offence or to commit him for trial.

Government may prohibit sale of Sulphur.

XVIII. Whenever the Governor General in Council or the Executive Government shall consider it necessary so to do, they may by order prohibit the sale of Sulphur; and any person selling Sulphur contrary to such order, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred Rupees; and all Sulphur belonging to such person shall be confiscated if the convicting Magistrate shall so adjudge.

Penalty.

Seizure and detention of Sulphur by Government.

XIX. The Governor General in Council or the Executive Government may also at any time seize all Sulphur in the possession of any person, and detain the same for such time as they may deem necessary for the public safety.

Exception.

XX. Nothing in the two preceding Sections shall apply to sulphur kept or sold in reasonable quantities for medicinal purposes.

Government may exempt persons from the provisions of Sections XVIII. and XIX.

XXI. The Government may exempt any person from the provisions of Sections XVIII. and XIX. upon such conditions, if any, as such Government may consider necessary.

Penalty for wilful neglect to give notice of possession of Ammunition, &c., in certain cases.

XXII. The Government may require all persons having in their possession Ammunition or other Military Stores or sulphur, in any greater quantities than are considered reasonable for private use, to give notice thereof to the Magistrate or other Officer specified by Government; and any person who wilfully neglects to give such notice, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to imprisonment with or without hard labor, for a term not exceeding two years, and shall also be liable to a fine not exceeding five thousand Rupees; and all Ammunition, Military Stores, or sulphur in the possession of such person, or upon his premises, shall be confiscated.

Power to enter and search houses.

XXIII. If any Magistrate have reasonable cause for suspecting that Arms, Ammunition, or sulphur liable to confiscation, are in any house, building, or other place, or that any Arms, Ammunition, or Sulphur are in any house, building, or other place in the possession of any person in whose possession they cannot be left with safety to the public peace; he may, with such assistance as he shall think necessary, by night, or by day, and by force, if necessary, enter and search any such house or place, or cause the same to be entered and searched. It shall be competent to a Magistrate to delegate to any of his European Assistants the powers conferred on him by this Section.

General search for Arms, Ammunition, &c., may be ordered in any District.

XXIV. The Governor General of India in Council, or the Executive Government of any Presidency or place, or the Chief Commissioners of the Punjab and Oude respectively, or the Commissioners of Nagpore and Scinde respectively, or any other persons authorized by Government, may order a general search for Arms, Ammunition, or sulphur to be made, by any Officers or persons named in such order, in any District or place specified therein. The persons authorized by such order, and all persons acting under their authority, shall have the like powers of entry, search, and seizure, as are conferred by the last preceding Section.

Penalty for not producing or for concealing Arms, Ammunition, &c., when search made.

XXV. If, on any search being made, any person shall refuse to produce, or point out to the persons making the search, or shall conceal or attempt to conceal, any Arms, Ammunition, or sulphur, such person may be apprehended without warrant; and shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to imprisonment with or without hard labor, for a term not exceeding two years, in addition to any other penalty to which he may be subject under this Act.

Penalty for making, using, or keeping cannon, &c. without license, in any District to which this Section is extended.

XXVI. After such time as shall be mentioned in the order of Government extending the provisions of this Section to any District or place, or, if no time be mentioned, after one week from the publication of the order in the District or place, no person shall manufacture, use, or have in his possession, any cannon, howitzer, or mortar, without a license from the Governor General of India in Council, or from the Executive Government of any Presidency or place. If any person shall manufacture, use, or have in his possession, any cannon, howitzer, or mortar, without such license, he shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceeding two thousand Rupees, and to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years: and such cannon, howitzer, or mortar, may be seized and shall be forfeited to Government. Any person who has in his possession any cannon, howitzer, or mortar at the time when this Section takes effect in any District or place, and who shall be unwilling to apply for a license to retain possession thereof, may surrender the same to the Magistrate within such period as aforesaid. The provisions of this Section shall not extend to any cannon, howitzer, or mortar forming part of the ordinary armament of any ship or vessel.

Surrender of cannon, &c., by persons not willing to take out license for retaining possession thereof.

Exception.

Penalty for assaulting or resisting any person in the execution of any power vested in him by this Act.

XXVII. Whoever assaults or resists, or aids or assists any person in assaulting or resisting any person in the execution of any power vested in him by this Act, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not ex-

ceeding two hundred Rupees, or to imprisonment with or without hard labor for any term not exceeding six calendar months.

XXVIII. No suit, action, or other proceeding shall be commenced or prosecuted against any person for anything done in pursuance of this Act without giving to such person a month's previous notice in writing of the intended action and of the cause thereof, nor after tender of sufficient amends, nor after the expiration of three months from the accrual of the cause of action or other proceeding.

Notice and limitation of suits.

XXIX. If any fine or penalty imposed by a Magistrate under the authority of this Act, be not immediately paid, the Magistrate may commit the offender to jail, there to be imprisoned according to the discretion of the Magistrate, for any term not exceeding six months where the amount of the fine or penalty shall not exceed five hundred Rupees; and for any term not exceeding twelve months in any other case; the commitment to be determinable in each of the cases aforesaid on payment of the amount.

Imprisonment if fine not paid.

XXX. Any fine or penalty levied from any person convicted of an offence under this Act, or any portion of such fine or penalty, may be awarded to the person on whose information the conviction shall take place.

Rewards to informers.

XXXI. The word "Magistrate" shall include any person exercising the full powers of a Magistrate: and within the Presidency Towns and in the Straits Settlement; all powers of conviction and confiscation upon conviction given by this Act to a Magistrate, shall be exercised by the Police Magistrates; and all other powers given by this Act to a Magistrate may be exercised by the Commissioner of Police; and all notices hereby required to be given to a Magistrate shall in any such Presidency Town or in the Straits Settlement, be given to the Commissioner of Police.

Interpretation of the word "Magistrate."

Commissioners of Police in Presidency Towns, &c., may exercise the powers hereby given, other than powers of conviction and confiscation.

XXXII. Whenever in any Presidency or place the immediate control and superintendence of the Police is vested in any person other than the Magistrate or such Commissioner of Police as aforesaid, the Executive Government may order that all or any of the powers given by this Act to a Magistrate, other than powers of conviction and confiscation upon conviction, shall be exercised by such person, and that all notices hereby required to be given to a Magistrate shall be given to such person.

Persons having the immediate superintendence of the Police, may be vested with the powers hereby given to a Magistrate, other than powers of conviction and confiscation.

XXXIII. This Act, or any part or parts thereof, shall take effect in any District or place to which the same shall be extended by order of the Governor General of India in Council, or of the Executive Government of any Presidency or place.

Act or any part of it to take effect in any District to which it is extended by Government.

XXXIV. It shall be lawful for the Governor General in Council or the Executive Government of any Presidency or place from time to time, to withdraw from the operation of all or any of the provisions of this Act, any part or parts of any District or place which they may previously have declared to be subject thereto; and in like manner, as occasion shall require, to subject the same again to the operation of all or any of the provisions of this Act.

Parts of District may be withdrawn from the operation of the Act and again made subject to it.

XXXV. This Act shall continue in force for two years.

Duration of Act.

XXXVI. Any Officer of Government, who, prior to the passing of this Act, may have seized or detained, or prevented the importation of any Arms, Ammunition, Military Stores, Sulphur, or Saltpetre, in pursuance of an order of Government, is hereby indemnified for so doing; and no action or other proceeding shall be commenced or prosecuted in respect of such seizure or detention.

Indemnity to Government Officers for seizure or detention of Arms, Ammunition, &c., before passing of this Act.

W. MORGAN,

Clerk of the Council.

CIRCULAR No. 4083.

From

G. F. EDMONSTONE, ESQUIRE,

Secretary to the Government of India,

To

SIR J. LAWRENCE, K. C. B.

Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

Dated Fort William, the 2nd October 1857.

Foreign Dept.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Governor General in Council has been pleased to extend to the Punjab, the provisions of Sections 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Act XXVIII of 1857, and that you are specially authorized by His Lordship in Council, to grant licenses under Section 8 of the Act.

2.—I am desired to explain that Deputy Commissioners, under Section 31, having the full powers of a Magistrate, can also grant licenses for the sale of arms and ammunition, other than percussion caps.

I have, &c.,

(Sigd.) G. F. EDMONSTONE,

Fort William, The 2nd Oct. 1857. *Secretary to the Government of India.*

From Punjab Gazette, dated 28th November 1857, *Page* 107.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, 27th November 1857.

In compliance with orders from the Supreme Government, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Sections XII. to XXIII. inclusive, and Section XXXVI. of Act XXVIII. of 1857, regarding the importation, manufacture, and

sale of arms and ammunition, are brought into operation throughout the Territories under the control of the Chief Commissioner.

By order of the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

(Sigd.) EDWARD PASKE,

Offg. Secy. to Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

CIRCULAR No. 2.

No. 231.

From

THE SECRETARY TO CHIEF COMMR.

for the Punjab.

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS

in the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 19th April, 1858.

Judicial Dept.

SIRS,—A doubt having arisen as to whether knives, pistols, and fowling pieces of English manufacture, may be sold under Regulation XXVIII of 1857, I am directed to draw your particular attention to this subject, in connexion with the general disarming of the people in these Territories.

2.—There is nothing in that above named Law, the Chief Commissioner observes, to abrogate or modify the edict against the selling of any kind of arms whatsoever, except under cover of a license. The arms now adverted to, namely, knives, pistols, and fowling pieces of English manufacture, are not to be sold, except under license. The attention of District Officers should be particularly directed to this rule, as well as to Circular from this Office, No. 4083, of 14th November, and indeed to all other regulations in respect of disarming.

3.—In connexion with this subject, I am to state that the Chief Commissioner is anxious that the Punjab Regiments returning home, should not bring into these Territories other arms, which they may have obtained elsewhere, in addition to the arms supplied to them by Government. The attention of Commanding Officers will be specially directed to this subject. It is also to be borne in mind that Punjab Sepoys, returning home, or retiring from the service, are not allowed to have more arms than those which may be specified in the Commanding Officer's certificate, which certificate they should be required to produce. In this matter also, the District Officers should be vigilant.

4.—Lastly, the Chief Commissioner again desires to impress upon all Civil Officers, that nothing short of the most continuous attention to these, and such like details, will ensure the disarming of the people. The experience of 1857 has shewn that, notwithstanding all our precautions, the people do contrive to keep a few weapons. And unremitting efforts on our part are needed to prevent the existence of arms in these Territories.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) R. TEMPLE,

Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

CIRUCLAR No. 3.

No. 284.

From

THE SECRETARY TO CHIEF COMMR.

for the Punjab,

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS

in the Punjab,

Dated Lahore, 12th May 1858.

Judicial Dept.

SIRS,—I am directed to convey the Chief Commissioner's instructions to the effect that the instrument known as the iron-bound Club, and used more or less in various parts of these Territories, may be treated as a weapon, and brought within the provisions of the Punjab disarming rules. It is to be notified therefore that the police will seize iron-bound clubs in the same manner as other arms; and that all well disposed persons are required to surrender them; and that in future the using, wearing, or possessing of them, will render the offender liable to the penalties of the rules. Proclamations to the above effect should be issued, and this order will take effect after one month from the date of its promulgation.

I have, &c.,

(Sigd.) R. TEMPLE,

Secretary to Chief Commr. Punjab.

CIRCULAR No. 4.

No. 330.

From

THE SECRETARY TO CHIEF COMMR.

for the Punjab,

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS

in the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 27th May 1858.

Judicial Dept.

SIRS,—A doubt having arisen as to whether, since the promulgation in the Punjab of Act XXVIII. of 1857, (except the first six Sections,) the late Board's Circular regarding the sale, possession and manufacture of arms or munitions of war, is still in force; I am directed to state that the above named Circular *is* still in full force, except in such portions of it as may be modified by the provisions of the said Act.

I have, &c.,

(Sigd.) R. TEMPLE,

Secretary to Chief Commr. Punjab.

No. 331.

From

R. TEMPLE, ESQ.,

Secretary to the Chief Commissoner for the Punjab.

To

E. THORNTON, ESQ.,

Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 27th May 1858.

Judicial Dept.

SIR,—I am directed to reply to your No. 219, of 17th May, regarding the conditions upon which licensed parties may sell ammunition.

2.—The Chief Commissioner concurs with you in considering that the necessary condition, that the party may sell to none other than parties licensed to possess, (as prescribed in the late Board's Disarming Circular) is fully in force, and that this should be pointed out to the Commissioner of Mooltan.

3.—Moreover, the Chief Commissioner holds with you, that notwithstanding the promulgation in the Punjab of Act XXVIII. of 1857, (excepting the first six Sections), the old rules of the Board are still in force, saving so far as they may be modified by the said Act.

4.—The condition of sale above alluded to, should be inserted in the pattern license; and you are requested to be good enough to have this done: and to impress upon Deputy Commissioners the necessity of observing and enforcing this condition.

5.—A copy of a Circular now issued to set at rest any doubt as to the Board's Rules continuing in force, is herewith forwarded. Those rules, together with the Sections of the Act of 1857, applicable to the Punjab, together with certain Supplementary Circulars bearing on the same subject, will be all published together in the next issue of the Punjab Gazette, for general information.

I have, &c.

(Signed) R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

No. 1053.

From

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

with the Governor General,

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

Punjab.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Secretary's letter dated 9th March last, No. 12, regarding the sale of condemned arms to natives, and in reply to state that the Governor General entirely coincides in your views on this subject, and that the Inspector General of Ordnance will be instructed, through the Military Department, to issue a Circular interdicting the sale of condemned arms, in general, as recommended by you.

Foreign Dept.

I have, &c.

(Signed) G. F. EDMONSTONE,

Secy. to Govt. of India, with the Governor General.

Allahabad,
The 11th May, 1858.

The following Rules regulating the manufacture, sale, and transport of sulphur and saltpetre, in the territories under the Punjab Administration, are hereby promulgated by the Chief Commissioner, for general information and guidance, with reference to Sections 15, 17, 18, 19 and 22 of Act. XXVIII. of 1857;—

Lahore, 18th June, 1858.

RULES REGARDING SULPHUR.

I.—The transport, sale or manufacture of Sulphur is prohibited, except to parties holding a License from the Deputy Commissioner, or Officer appointed to grant Licenses under Section VIII. of the Act above quoted.

II.—The License is to be on sixteen (16) Rupees stamp paper, and the recipient of it is not to sell, except to licensed dealers in sulphur; or to persons holding Licenses to make gunpowder; or to druggists, up to the quantity which these last are allowed to possess.

III.—If he wish to transport the article, the holder of the License is to apply for a pass from the District Officer, specifying the dealer's name, the quantity of sulphur, the place of its destination, the route it is to take, the term for which the Pass is to be valid, and the name of the consignee. The District Officer is to exercise his discretion in complying with the application, and is to send intimation of every such Pass to the Customs or Civil Authority at the place to which the despatch is consigned. The Pass may be on plain paper.

IV.—The holder of the License is also to keep up a register of stock and of sales, in accordance with Sections IX. and X. of the Act above quoted; and to give the District Officer a monthly report of transactions, should the latter require it.

V.—Druggists may be allowed to hold a supply not exceeding ten (10) seers, as a general rule, subject to exceptions at discretion of the District Officer; and they should receive from him a License, on plain paper, authorizing the sale of any quantity, not exceeding one seer, at one time, and to one person.

VI.—No unlicensed person may hold a larger quantity than one seer of sulphur in his possession, except with special permission of the District Officer.

RULES REGARDING SALTPETRE.

VII.—The manufacture of saltpetre is prohibited except to parties holding a License to manufacture, granted by the District Officer; the fee for such License being Rupees 2 per pan, or such other rate as may be from time to time determined.

VIII.—The manufacturer is bound to sell to a Licensed dealer in the article, and to no one else.

IX.—The transport and sale of saltpetre, except by parties holding a License to deal in that article, is prohibited. The License to be granted by the District Officer, or Officer appointed to grant Licenses under Section VIII. of Act 28 of 1857.

X.—The License to trade in saltpetre is to be on stamped paper of sixteen (16) Rupees value; and the holder of it is not to sell except to Licensed dealers in that article, or to persons holding Licenses to make gunpowder, or to druggists, or to private individuals, up to the quantities which these two last classes respectively are, by the subjoined Rules, allowed to possess.

XI.—A Licensed dealer wishing to transport saltpetre from one place to another, should apply to the District Officer for a Pass, specifying the dealer's name, the quantity of saltpetre, the place of its destination, the route, the term for which

the Pass is to be valid, and the name of the consignee.

The District Officer is to exercise his discretion in granting, or withholding the Pass. Ordinarily he will grant it for transport in the direction of Bombay. Transport towards the North-west frontier is prohibited. He is to send intimation of each Pass granted, to the Customs or Civil Authority at the place of consignment.

XII.—Such Passes are to be on stamped paper on the following scale :—

For 100 maunds,... ... ... 8 annas.
For 100 to 500 ditto, ... 1 rupee.
Above 500 ditto, ... 2 rupees.

XIII.—The holder of a License to deal in saltpetre is to keep up a register of stock and sales, in accordance with Sections IX. and X of Act 28 of 1857 ; and to give the District Officer a monthly report of transactions, should the latter require it.

XIV.—Druggists may hold a supply not exceeding 10 seers, as a general rule, subject to exceptions at discretion of the District Officer ; and they should receive from him a License on plain paper, restricting the sale to a quantity not exceeding one seer, at one time, to one person.

XV.—No unlicensed person may hold a larger quantity than one seer of saltpetre in his possession, except with a written permission of the District Officer, which will be accorded to those who require the article for cooling liquids. They may be allowed to possess one maund.

XVI.—All the Licenses above mentioned are to be valid for a term of one year only.

XVII.—Any infringement of any of these Rules will render the offender liable to the penalties imposable under Act XXVIII. of 1857.

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CIRCULAR No. 1.
No. 84.

From

LIEUTENANT E. H. PASKE,
Officiating Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Punjab,

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS,
Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 8th February, 1858.

SIRS,—With a view to ensure uniformity in the mode of submitting applications for Licenses to sell Percussion Caps and English Gun-powder, I am directed by the Chief Commissioner to issue the following instructions, and to request that the attention of your District Officers may be drawn thereto.

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2.—Permission to sell both Percussion Caps and English Gun-powder may be granted in one License.

3.—A list of all applicants to whom it may be considered expedient to grant such Licenses, should be submitted by each District Officer to the Commissioner of his Division, who will forward the Lists for the whole Division, through the Judicial Commissioner, for the sanction of the Chief Commissioner.

4.—These Lists will be returned after approval by the Chief Commissioner ; and each of those for whom he may have granted the issue of a License, should be directed to file in the District Office, a Stamp Paper of sixteen rupees value ; the Licenses should be engrossed on the Stamp Paper in the Deputy Commissioner's Office, and in the form hereto annexed, and be forwarded direct to the Chief Commissioner's Office for seal, signature and registry : from whence they will be returned direct to Deputy Commissioners for distribution.

5.—All Licenses heretofore granted on plain paper, under the provisions of Act XXVIII. of 1857, should be recalled ; and the grantees instructed to file Stamp Paper as above. All Licenses that are thus recalled, should be returned to this Office to be cancelled.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) E. H. PASKE,
Officiating Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Punjab

Lahore, 8th February, 1858

Form of License.

____________________________of the firm of__________at__________having applied to the____________________o __________for sanction and license, under Act XXVIII. of 1857, to sell percussion caps and English gunpowder, I do hereby authorize and empower the said__________________to keep and sell the above named articles in the following proportions :—

Percussion Caps, No. ____
English Gunpowder, lbs____

2.—The above license is subject to the conditions detailed in Sections VII. to XI. of the Act above cited ; and a breach of those conditions will subject the holders of this license to the full penalties prescribed in the said Act, and to annulment of license.

This license, given under my hand, and the seal of this Office, is to be in force for a period of____ from__________to____________

By order of Chief Commissioner,

Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

Chief Commr's Office,
The 1858.

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CIRCULAR No. 42 OF 1858.

No. 2,158.

From

E. THORNTON, Esq.,
Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.

To

THE COMMR. AND SUPERINTENDEN[T]
Division.

Dated Lahore, 9th June, 1858.

SIR,—Under instructions from the Chief Commissioner, I have the honor [to] request that the number [of] licenses for the manufacture of gunpowder [be] restricted as far as possible ; also, that no perso[n] be allowed to make fireworks, except those wh[o] have received a license to make gunpowde[r]. One such license ought to suffice for each Di[strict]

Judicial (Criminal.)

trict; and the Factory should be at the Sudder Station, where it can best be controlled.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
E. THORNTON,
Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab,

No. 373.

From
R. TEMPLE, Esq.,
Secy. to the Chief Commr. Punjab.

To
E. THORNTON, Esq.,
Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab.

Dated Lahore, 10th June, 1858.

Sir,—With reference to your office letters marginally noted,* I am directed to state that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to the parties therein referred to receiving licenses for the sale of gunpowder and percussion caps. I am further to intimate that the duty of granting these licenses for the future, is hereby delegated to you.

Judicial Dept.

* No. 55, dated 27th January, 1858, with enclosure.
No. 261, dated 1st June, 1858.

2.—That portion of this Office Circular, No. 1, of 8th February last, which requires District Officers to send licenses direct to this office for seal, signature, and registry, has been modified by a notice in the Punjab Gazette.

I have, &c.
(Signed) R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr. Punjab.

Extract Para. 3 of a letter from Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Punjab, to Deputy Commissioner, Umritsur,

No. 418, dated 21st June, 1858.

"In reply to your question as to whether English small shot should be included in the same license with percussion caps and English gunpowder, I am to state that the Chief Commissioner thinks it *should.* A Circular to this effect will be issued through Judicial Commissioner.

(True Copies & Extracts.)
(Signed) R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

General Department, No. 1385, dated 6th July, 1858.

Mr. W. C. Plowden, Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the Paneeput district.

DISMISSALS.

General Department, No. 1397-9, dated 6th July, 1858.

The following individuals, dismissed from the Canal Department, are proscribed from further employment under Government throughout the Punjab and Delhie Territories :—

Toolsee Ram, Moonshee on the Baree Doab Canal, for embezzlement.

Buldeo Dass, Native Surveyor Indus Canals, for seditious language.

NOTICE.

General Department, No. 1396, dated 6th July, 1858.

The Civil Courts and establisment of the Thanesur district will remove from Thanesur to Kurnal, from the 11th instant, until the 15th October, 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 6TH JULY 1858.

No. 548.—The following order by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, regarding the course to be pursued towards Native Soldiers of Regiments returning from leave and furlough, is re-published for the information and guidance of officers concerned :—

No. 846.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Adjt. General's Office, Calcutta, 20th June 1858.

The Commander-in-Chief has reason to believe that from a mis-apprehension of the orders of Government, a difference of practice exists in the mode of carrying out the instructions published in the Government General order of the 14th November 1857, promulgating rules for disposal of men belonging to Regiments which have mutinied, or have been disarmed. His Excellency is therefore pleased to lay down the following explanatory rules for future guidance :—

1st.—Under the terms of the above cited General Order, it is not intended that men belonging to Corps, which have mutinied, should be discharged without inquiry, if there is any reasonable suspicion against them of having wilfully overstayed their leave, deserted, mutinied, or committed any other offence that in ordinary times would subject them to trial.

2nd.—When men report themselves on returning from leave, it is only those who have not exceeded the limit of their leave, who can, under any circumstances, be paid up and discharged the service. Men suspected of misconduct must be detained, and if, after enquiry, there is proof available, they should be brought to trial under the provisions of Act VIII., XIV., or XVI. of 1857, according to the nature of their respective offences; and even though acquitted for want of sufficient legal evidence, if there are good grounds for believing that their discharge at the present moment would be detrimental to public safety, they should be detained in custody, pending instructions for their disposal ; an immediate report being made to Head Quarters regarding them, for the information and orders of Government.

3rd.—Men found to have overstayed their leave, or not to have reported themselves at distant stations, in sufficient time to allow of their duly reaching the station at which their respective corps were when they mutinied, are to be simply discharged ; in the event of there appearing to be no proof of any wilful neglect in de-

laying to rejoin or to report themselves. But pay is not to be passed to any such individual, unless with the sanction of Government, to whom reference, through the Commander-in-Chief, must be made in cases requiring apparently to be specially considered.

4th.—In respect to Military delinquents also belonging to Regiments which have been disarmed, but are still doing duty, they should be brought to trial at any station at which they may present themselves, if available proof of their delinquency is at hand. The instructions contained in the Government General Order of the 14th November, 1857, give no immunity to any known military offender, but merely prescribe the mode of dealing with those who, it is believed, have not been guilty of any offence.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

(Sd.) W. MAYHEW, *Lieut. Col.,*
Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

(True copy,)

(Signed) W. WYLD, *Capt ,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commr.

5TH PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 549.—Sowar Goolzar Ally, whose re-enrolment was sanctioned in Punjab Order No. 229, dated 6th March, is to be considered as restored to the service, without prejudice to his arrears of pay while absent, and with benefit of previous service.

No. 550.—Division order dated 22nd June, by the Brigadier General Commanding the Meerut Division, directing Lieutenant G. L. Smith, 29th N. I., to do duty with the Pathan Horse, under Major Stokes, as a temporary arrangement, is confirmed.

LAHORE, 7TH JULY, 1858.

No. 551.—In Punjab Orders No. 517, dated 11th December 1857, the particular attention of all Commanding Officers was called to the necessity of verifying, as to name, caste, and residence, all men entertained in the Punjab.

The Chief Commissioner has reason to believe that in some cases this order has not been fully carried out.

The following orders on the subject, as laid down in Military Regulations, are published for general information and guidance, and Commanding Officers will be held responsible for their strict observance :—

" Recruiting parties and others, through whose instrumentality Recruits may be enlisted, are to be warned that they will be held strictly responsible for the correctness of the returns of the names, castes and villages of the men they bring into Regiments, and liable to be severely punished should these particulars subsequently prove false or erroneous."

" On recruiting parties entering a district, the Native Commissioned or Non-Commissioned Officer, Commanding the party, will wait on the Civil Authority, and request his assistance, should he deem it necessary, in procuring Recruits for his Regiment."

" Each Recruit, after enlistment, should first be taken to the Tehseeldar in whose jurisdiction the village he belongs to is situated, in order that the Tehseeldar may inquire and verify that his name, caste, parentage and residence have been duly stated. Lists with the Tehseeldar's signature will be shown to the District Officer, that he may satisfy himself and record that the returns are formal and correct."

" A nominal roll made out in the annexed form No. 1, will then be prepared by the District Officer and handed to the Recruiting Officer, for delivery to the Commanding Officer of his Regiment."

" It will be the duty of the Adjutant of the Regiment to prepare monthly, on the first day of the month, or as soon after as practicable, a rereturn in the form No. 2 for each District, of all Recruits approved at Regimental Head Quarters, and finally passed into the Service ; such return is to contain the names only of the Recruits belonging to the District for which the return is intended. The returns are to be sent by Commanding Officers direct to the respective District Officers."

" When recruits have been examined by District Officers, and a nominal roll of them furnished to Regimental Head Quarters, one copy of the return will suffice for transmission to District Officers ; but when Recruits have been enlisted at Regimental Head Quarters, the return is to be forwarded in duplicate, one copy for registry in the District Office, and the other for the purpose of being verified and afterwards returned to the Corps."

" A casualty list, according to the form No. 3, is likewise to be transmitted with the monthly returns, for the purpose of enabling District Officers to correct their Register and to prevent men once dismissed for crime from enlisting again."

Form No. 1.

NOMINAL ROLL of Recruits enlisted by Subadar ________ in the ________ district, for the ________ Regiment Native Infantry.

(Station and Date.)

No.	Name of Recruit.	Age.	Village and Pergunnah.	Father's name and caste.	Date of enlistment.	REMARKS.
1	Sham Sing, ...	17	....	Doolar Sing, Jut Sikh,	5th Sept., 1851,	Has been employed in agricultural pursuits.
2	Khoda Yar Khan,	18	....	Emam Khan Pathan,	6th Sept., 1851,	Has been bred to no particular trade or profession; his father served the Durbar as a soldier and was faithful.

S. D.

Deputy Commissioner.

No. 2.

DESCRIPTIVE Long Roll of Recruits entertained in the ______ Regiment Native Infantry, during the month of ______ 18 ______ and belonging to the district of Umballa.

(Station and Date.)

No.	Regtl. No.	Name of Recruit.	Age.	Height.		Caste.	Village and Pergunnah.	Date of enlistment.	Remarks.	Date and circumstances of death, discharge, or removal from any cause.
1		Shere Singh, son of Tej Singh,	16	5	8	Jat Sikh.	Doogurh, Tarun Tarun, 5 koss S. E. from Tehseeldaree of	15th August 1851.	Refers to Rutab Singh, Lumberdar of Deogurh, for the truth of the description he gives of himself.	
2		Sheikh Joomun, son of Alla Yar Khan,	17	5	9	Sheikh,	Pathanpore, Umballa, 10 koss W. of Tehseeldaree fo ______	20th August 1851.	Description already verified by Deputy Commissioner under date the 30th of August.	

(Examined) J. F., *Adjutant.*

F. W.

Commanding the Regiment, N. I.

NOTE.—The entries in the above form are to be made in the Vernacular, either in the Persian or Nagri character, as well as English, and the Interpreter of the corps is to certify to the correctness of the translation.

From No. 3.

CASUALTY Roll of the _____ Regiment Native Infantry for the month of ___ 18__

No.	Regtl. No.	Names.	Age.	Date of Enlisting.	Date and Circumstances of Casualty.
1		Tora Baz Khan, son of	25	1st July 1845.	Died 17th August, 1851.
2		Runjeet Singh, son of	22	3rd April 1851.	Discharged by sentence of a Regimental Court Martial, 20th August, 1851.

Examined.
(Sd.) G. H.
Adjutant *Regt.*

(Sd.) F. W.
Comdg. Regt.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Comr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Captain W. Sandilands, Assistant Engineer, Lower Sirhind Division, to take charge of the Rawul Pindee Division of the Lahore and Peshawur Road, as a temporary arrangement, pending the confirmation of the Supreme Government.

P. W. Dept., No. 1049-50, dated 10th July 1858.

Lieutenant E. L. Ommanney, Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the Delhie district; but will continue to act as Custodian to the Ex-King of Delhi.

Genl. Dept., No. 1427-8. dated 10th July 1858.

LEAVE.

Mr. H. Monkton, Deputy Commissioner, has obtained an extension of leave, on medical certificate, from the 5th May 1858, the date on which his previous leave expired

Genl. Dept., No. 1429-30, dated 10th July 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that parties who have suffered loss of Property in the Punjab Territories, (including Delhi Territory, Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, and Punjab Proper,) during the late mutinies and disturbances, and who may desire that their claims for compensation should be investigated, must refer their respective cases, with all the requisite particulars, if the amount claimed be less than Rs. 50,000 (fifty thousand,) within three months, to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. For instance, if the loss occurred at Delhi, or Goorgaon, the claimant will apply to the Commissioner of Delhi; if at Hissar, or Hansee, or Sirsa, to the Commissioner of Hissar; if at Seealkote, to the Commissioner of Lahore, and so on. After the expiry of three months from the date of this notice, no claim can be received. But if the amount of claim exceed 50,000 Rs., then the applicant, though he must prefer his application within the three months above described, may have a further period of three months within which to furnish detailed particulars. The above limit of time applies to parties in India. If the parties be in Europe, or elsewhere out of India, they may prefer their claims with full particulars within six months. Those parties whose claims have been already forwarded to this Office, are hereby informed that their cases will now be referred to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. Claims of this nature can be received from Europeans and Christians generally, and from natives of India, who suffered from their fidelity to the British Government.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

Lahore,
23rd June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 9TH JULY 1858.

CURETON'S MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 552.—Lieutenant B. N. Smith, of the 49th Native Infantry, Offg. Adjutant, is permitted to resign his appointment.

LAHORE, 10TH JULY, 1858.

No. 553.—The following G. O. G. G., empowering District Officers to receive and record evidence in support of claims to family pension, is published for information and guidance.

are enjoined to adhere (in the submission of such claims) to existing orders as per margin,* relating to these pensions, except as regards the modification now authorized.

* G. G. O. No. 242, dated 22d Mar., 1853. Mily. Regn. Section XLIV, part III.

A form prepared in accordance with that published at page 328 of the Military Regulations, should be forwarded to the District Officer at the Head Quarters of the Civil Division in which the home of the deceased soldier is situated. The different columns should be filled up to such extent, as the records in Regimental Head Quarters admit of; and in the event of such records being defective, from any information the Commanding Officer may possess, or be able to obtain, which is calculated to aid the Civil Officer in recording the needful evidence, and in determining the merits of the claim under investigation.

3. The Deputy Commissioners at the undermentioned stations are authorized to investigate claims and to record evidence :—

Peshawur.	Umballa.
Jhelum.	Hissar.
Mooltan.	Delhie.
Leia.	Umritsur.
Lahore.	Hoshyarpore.
Jullundur.	

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

ALLAHABAD, 19TH JUNE, 1858.

In order to obviate the hardship likely to be experienced in the Punjab under existing Regulations, by which the heirs of native Soldiers who die on service are required to appear at the Head Quarters of the Regiment to which the deceased soldier belonged, for the purpose of establishing their claims to family pension, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to direct that District Officers shall be empowered to investigate claims to pension, at such stations in the Punjab as the Chief Commissioner may determine, and be authorised to take in communication with the Officers Commanding Corps, the necessary evidence in support of such claims.

(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secretary to the Government of India,
Military Dept., with G. G.

(True copy,)
(Signed) W. WYLD, *Capt.,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commr.

7TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

No. 554.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadar.			
Ousan Singh,...	Subadar.	11th June 1858.	Raman Singh, transferred to Goorkha Regiment.
Havildars.			
Mahomed Bux, ...	Jemadar.	ditto.	Ousan Singh, promoted.
Baze Singh, ...	ditto.	ditto.	Rajhbeer, transferred to Goorkha Regiment.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 555.—Jemadar Rushmut Khan, from the Peshawur Mountain Train Battery, to be Subadar in the Battalion now being raised at Lahore, with effect from the 19th June 1858.

No. 556.—The Brigade Order by Brigadier J. Coke, C. B., Commanding, dated 4th April 1858, directing Captain J. C. Dickson, of the late 33rd N. I., and Lieut. R. F. Angelo, to do duty, the former with the 1st Sikh Infantry, the latter with the 1st Punjab Infantry, is confirmed.

1ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 557.—Lieut. C. Grant, 45th N. I., doing duty, is permitted to resign his appointment.

No. 3 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 558.—The Battery Order dated 13th ultimo, by Lieut. T. E. Hughes, Commanding, directing Assistant Farrier and Saddler Sergeant C. Proudman to act as Rough Rider and Farrier Sergeant, pending the appointment of a Non-Commissioned Officer, in room of Sergeant Tanyane, remanded to the Artillery, is confirmed.

No. 559.—*Erratum.*—In Punjab Order No. 492, dated 15th ultimo, appointing Goordut Singh Adjutant 5th Police Battalion, for "Jemadar" read Subadar.

W. WYLD,
Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

KUNNIAH LALL.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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No. 38. **Wednesday, July 14, 1858.** Vol 2.

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Dept., No. 1447-50, dated 14th July 1858. Mr. J. C. Murphy, appointed a 1st Class Extra Assistant Commissioner in the Delhi territories, is posted to the Delhi District.

LEAVE.

Genl. Dept., No. 1440, dated 13th July 1858. Major C. Browne, Commissioner Leia Division, obtained one month's indulgence leave from the 10th October 1857.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following General Orders by the Right Honorable the Governor General are re-published from the Gazette of the Governor General's Camp for general information :—

No. 1,965.

Foreign Department.

ALLAHABAD, THE 3RD JULY, 1858.

The Right Honorable the Governor General is pleased to appoint Assistant Surgeon A. M. Dallas, of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Superintendent of the Central Jail at Lahore, on probation.

No. 2,004.

ALLAHABAD, THE 7TH JULY 1858.

The Right Honorable the Governor General is pleased to appoint Mr. J. C. Murphy, to be an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class in the Delhi Territory.

No. 44.

Public Works Department.

ALLAHABAD, THE 5TH JULY 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

The Right Honorable the Governor General is pleased to confirm Mr. W. Wilmot, Civil Engineer, in his present acting appointment of Executive Engineer, Meean Meer. His Lordship is pleased also to appoint Captain A. K. Moffat, Officiating Engineer Lower Sirhind, to the permanent charge of that Division.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr

POSTAL NOTICE.

Under instructions from the Officiating Director General of the Post Office in India, the present system of *optional pre-payment of letters sent from India to the United Kingdom will be abolished from the 1st September next.* The pre-payment of postage on letters posted in any part of India for the United Kingdom, whether marked *via* Southampton or *via* Marseilles, will, accordingly, from the 1st September next, be *Compulsory.* The rates of Postage are as under.

	Not exceeding ¼ oz.		Above ¼ oz. and not exceeding ½ oz.		Above ½ oz. and not exceeding ¾ oz.		Above ¾ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz.		Above 1 oz. and not exceeding 1¼ oz.		Above 1¼ oz. and not exceeding 1½ oz.		Above 1½ oz. and not exceeding 1¾		Above 1¾ oz. and not exceeding 2 oz.		
	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	
Southampton,	0	4	0	4	0	8	0	8	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	And so on, adding 8 annas for every additional ounce or fraction of an ounce.
Marseilles, ..	0	6	0	8	0	14	1	0	1	10	1	12	1	14	2		And so on, adding 8 annas for every additional ounce or fraction of an ounce in addition to 2 annas (French Postage) for every additional quarter of an ounce, or part of a quarter.

All letters posted on, or after, the 1st of September, upon which at least a single rate of postage, that is to say 4 annas on a Southampton letter and 6 annas on a Marseilles letter, has not been paid, will be returned to the senders. But in order to obviate the inconvenience which would be caused to the public, by detaining and returning to the senders, letters which, *through inadvertence,* may be posted without the full amount of postage being paid upon them, but on which at least a single rate of postage has been paid, will be forwarded, charged with the deficiency of postage, and a fine of six pence or 4 annas.

Pre-payment must be made as now by Stamps.

G. PATON,
Post Master General N. W. P.

Dated Camp Meerut, the 5th June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 12TH JULY 1858.

HOOSHEARPORE LEVY.

TRANSFER.

No. 560.—" Meena" Naick, from the 8th Punjab Infantry, to be Havildar.

LAHORE, 13TH JULY, 1858.

OUDE MOUNTED POLICE.

No. 561.—Lieut. T. J. Sadlier, Commanding Raja Jawahir Sing's Contingent, is appointed to the charge of 4 Rassallahs raised at Lahore, with effect from the 30th May 1858.

No. 562.—The attention of all officers, having occasion to address the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, is requested to the Standing Order, which directs that all letters shall be docketed.

Much inconvenience and delay has been occasioned by neglect of this order, and a great deal of extra labour has thereby been entailed on the office of the Chief Commissioner in the Military Department.

JHELUM LEVY.

No. 563.—Subadar Kirpal Sing is dismissed the service.

4TH SEIKH, INFANTRY.

No. 564.—The Regimental Order dated 10th May last, appointing Ensign H. M. Pratt, attached to the Regiment, to act as doing duty Officer, in room of Lieutenant Hewitt, removed to the 16th Punjab Infantry, with effect from the 29th April last, is confirmed.

No. 565.—The Punjab Order No. 511, dated 22nd June, transferring Sepoy Jewun from the 5th Police Battalion to the 19th Punjaub Infantry, is cancelled.

No. 566.—Her Majesty having been pleased to express a desire that medals and clasps should be conferred on all Civilians who have borne Arms during the mutiny, it is requested that all Non-Military persons who may have rendered themselves eligible for these distinctions, will submit their claims to this office in the following form, accompanied by such documentary evidence in support as they may possess, in view to the same being submitted for the consideration and orders of the Supreme Government.

RETURN OF ______________________________ *not in the Military Service,*

who has borne arms against the mutineers at any time since 10*th May*, 1857.

Name.	Designation.	Place of Residence.	Occasions on which they have borne arms.

4TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 567.—The undermentioned Sepoys are to be re-enrolled from the date on which they were struck off the strength of the Regiment, without prejudice to their arrears of pay and former service :—

Sunker Sing.	Sewdeen Sing.
Gunga Ram.	Sunker Sing.

W. WYLD,

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

ADVERTISEMENT.

To Contractors.

Tenders are invited between this day and the 20th instant, for the construction of a Barrack with out-offices for a Troop of Horse Artillery at Rawul Pindee. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at that station. The work is required to be completed before the 1st April 1859.

S. H. J. DAVIES, *Captain,*

Offg. Ex. Officer, Rawul Pindee Division.

Rawul Pindee, 6*th July* 1858.

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No. 39. **Saturday, July 17, 1858.** Vol 2.

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

DISMISSAL.

Burkhoordar Khan, late Nazir in the Jhung District, dismissed for embezzlement, is proscribed from further employment in the Punjab.

General Dept., No. 1.474-6, dated 15th July 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

No. 2413.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Public Works Department (Public), under date the 29th May 1858.

READ special letter to the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, from this Department, No. 34, dated 23rd June 1857, regarding the grant of leave to Europe to Mr. Rickards, Civil Engineer, and soliciting orders with regard to the grant of leave to English Civil Engineers and Overseers.

READ Hon'ble Court's reply No. 10, dated 6th April 1858.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Hon'ble the President in Council observes, that an enquiry having been made of the Hon'ble Court as to the footing on which Uncovenanted Officers in the Department of Public Works, who have been sent out from England under special engagement, were to be placed as regards leave on Medical Certificate to Europe, the Hon'ble Court has decided that they shall, in all things, be held to be placed under the ordinary Absentee Rules for Uncovenanted Servants of the Government, with the exception that the length of absence allowed under Clause 1, Section V., will, in their case, be limited to two years.

The Hon'ble Court further directs, however, that the admission of any such person to the advantages of Furlough to Europe, under the regular Uncovenanted Rules, must be made dependent on his relinquishing any claim which he otherwise might have under his engagement with the East India Company, to a free return passage to England.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution, and of the Hon'ble Court's Despatch, be sent to the Financial Department, for the issue of such orders as may be deemed necessary to give effect to the Hon'ble Court's instructions.

(A true Extract)

(Signed) R. STRACHEY, *Major,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Public Works Department.

No. 10 of 1858.

OUR GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

1. In accordance with Para. 61 of our Financial Despatch, of 6th May (No. 33) 1857, we are of opinion that the case of the Civil Engineers and the other individuals sent out from this Country for employment in the Department of Public Works, properly comes within the general scope of the Rules under which leave of absence is granted to Public Officers in India not in our regular Covenanted Service, but the length of absence allowed under Clause 1 of Section V. must in their case be reduced to two years.

Letter, dated 23rd June (No. 34) 1857, forwarding correspondence respecting the grant of leave of absence on Medical Certificate to Mr. J. L. Rickards, one of the Civil Engineers from England, and requesting Court's instructions as to the application to the case of Civil Engineers of the ordinary Rules regulating the grant of leave of absence to the Uncovenanted Servants of Government.

2. We shall inform Mr. Rickards of our decision on the subject, and we shall adjust his allowances accordingly. We shall deduct from the payments to be made to him, the sum of Rupees 850, the amount paid for his passage money to this Country, and we direct that, the admission to the benefit of the Uncovenanted Furlough Rules of any of the Civil Engineers and Overseers engaged by us in this Country be made depend-

ent on the relinquishment of the advantage of a free return passage, the engagement to pay which, was made by us, on the supposition of a final relinquishment of the Service, at a time when the savings of the Officer might not enable him to pay for his passage to this Country.

We are, &c.,

(Signed) R. D. MANGLES,

And 10 *other Directors.*

LONDON, *6th April* 1858.

No. 3,607.

Financial Department.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

Ordered further that a Copy of the same be sent to the Departments,* Governments,† and Officers ‡ noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

* Foreign Department.
Home Department.
Military Department.
† Government of Bengal.
Ditto N. W. Provinces.
Ditto Madras.
Ditto Bombay.
‡ Governor of the Straits' Settlements.
Chief Commissioner, Punjab.
Civil Auditor, Fort William.

(Signed) C. H. LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, *The 21st June* 1858.

Published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

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Lahore, 23rd June, 18 8.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

OVERLAND MAIL.

Via Bombay, Marseilles and Southampton.

The next Steamer leaves Bombay on the 4th August, 1858; letters intended for despatch by this opportunity, should be posted at Lahore by 5 P. M., on the 24th instant.

W. H. McGOWAN.

Post Master,

Lahore Post Office, 16*th July,* 1858.

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MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 16TH JULY 1858.

3RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 538.—Jemadar "Gundah Singh," to be suspended from rank, pay and allowances, for two months, from the date of receipt of this order at the Head Quarters of the Corps.

LAHORE, 17TH JULY, 1858.

12TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 569.—Lieutenant John Liston, Officiating Adjutant, from 23th June to 23th August, to remain at Murree, on Medical Certificate.

18TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 570.—Jemadar Syphoollah Khan, from the 5th Regiment Punjab Infantry.

4TH REGIMENT SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 571.—Havildar Mool Singh, from the 21st Regiment Punjab Infantry, with effect from the 1st July.

No. 572.—The following Abbottabad station Orders, by Major O. E. Rothney, Commanding, are confirmed :—

Dated 1st June, 1858.

Directing Lieutenant Stainforth, 4th Sikh Infantry, to relieve Lieutenant Bernard, 2nd Sikh Infantry, of the Station Staff Office, from 1st June.

Dated 2nd June, 1858.

Surgeon H. B. Buckle, 4th Sikh Infantry, to receive Medical charge of the men transferred to the 25th Goorkas, from the 2nd Sikh Infantry, who were left behind on the march of the latter Regiment.

Dated 7th June 1858.

Surgeon H. B. Buckle, 4th Sikh Infantry, to afford Medical aid to the Huzara Goorkha Battalion.

16TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 573.—Havildar Nedhan Singh, from the 2nd Regiment Punjab Infantry, to be Jemadar.

W. WYLD,

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

The leave for 60 days granted to Lieutenant J. T. Tovey, Assistant Engineer, Peshawur, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 30th June, 1858, to commence from the 8th July, 1858, the date on which he availed himself of the leave.

The leave on Medical Certificate, granted to Mr. H. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 10th July, 1858, to be for 4 *months*, counting from the 5th of May, 1858.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General are re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's Camp for general information :—

Foreign Department.

No. 2118.

ALLAHABAD, THE 13TH JULY, 1858.

Lieutenant E. H. Paske, Assistant Commissioner, is appointed to be Personal Assistant to the Financial Commissioner of the Punjab.

Public Works Department.

No. 48.

ALLAHABAD, THE 8TH JULY, 1858.

Notification.—Mr. W. Purdon, Executive Engineer of the Punjab Salt Mines, is promoted to the 2nd Class of Executive Engineers.

No. 50.

ALLAHABAD, THE 13TH JULY, 1858.

Notification.—Mr. R. B. Medley is appointed temporarily an Assistant to Lieutenant Taylor, in carrying on the works at the New Military Station of Campbellpore, Punjab, with effect from the date on which he commenced such duty.

R. TEMPLE,
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G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp, Meerut, the 5th June, 1858.

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W. H. McGOWAN,
Post Master.

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MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 19TH JULY, 1858.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 574.—Sepoys "Yurreef Khan," and "Mouza," from the 2nd Punjab Infantry, with effect from 1st instant.

LAHORE, 21ST JULY 1858.

Confirmed in G. G O. No. 23 of 1858, page 35.

No. 575.—The provisions of Punjab Order No. 68, dated 1st September 1857, regarding the mode in which arrears of pay of furlough men of Line Corps, transferred to Punjab Infantry Regiments, are to be drawn, are made applicable to Irregular Cavalry Sowars or Light Cavalry Troopers, who have been, or may be, transferred to the Irregular Cavalry Corps of the Punjab Force.

No. 2 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 576.—Jemadar Surjun Sing is suspended from rank, pay and allowances for a period of three months, from the date of receipt of this order at the Head Quarters of that Battery.

3RD SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 577.—The undermentioned Sepoys, from the 23rd Punjab Infantry, with retrospective effect :—

Dull Singh ; Maharaj Singh ; Thirad ; Doolla Singh ; Jawallah ; Dewa Singh.

WALCOTT'S BATTERY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 578.—The undermentioned men from the 23rd Punjab Infantry, with retrospective effect :—

Sepoy Ghusseetah.
" Heera Singh.
" Sookha Singh.
" Summund Singh.
" Kuzan Singh.
" Mehtab Singh.
" Utter Singh.
" Pertab Singh.
" Jeymul Singh.
" Bhugwan Singh.
" Prem Singh.
" Sobhah Singh.
" Futtah.
" Kurrumdeen.
" Bolah Singh.

W. WYLD,
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

POWERS.

Genl. Dept., No. 1513, dated 22nd July, 1858.

Mr. R. G. Melvill, Assistant Commissioner of Hissar, is vested with the Special Powers of an Assistant.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Dept., No. 1523-5, dated 22nd July, 1858.

Mr. C. W. Aitchison, Assistant Commissioner of Goojrat, has been appointed Personal Assistant to the Judicial Commissioner, Punjab, pending the confirmation of the Supreme Government.

TRANSFER.

General Dept., No. 1533-5, dated 23rd July, 1858.

The transfer of Mr. G. Thomson, Extra Assistant, from the Leia to the Dera Ismael Khan District, notified in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 23rd June 1858, has been cancelled.

RESIGNATIONS.

P. W. Department, No. 1124-5, dated 23rd July, 1858.

The Chief Commissioner has been pleased to accept the resignation of Mr. S. G. Williams, Probationary Assistant Overseer Western Sirhind Division.

P. W. Dept., No. 1130-1 dated 24th July 1858.

The Chief Commissioner has been pleased to accept the resignation of Corporal G. Buchanan, Assistant Overseer Baree Doab Canal.

LEAVE.

Extra Assistant Kalee Rai has obtained an extension of leave, on Medical Certificate, from the 19th to the 31st March 1858.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

With reference to Clause 1 of Act XXXII. of 1857, the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to direct that all persons subject to the Articles of War for the Native Army, who have been or shall be convicted of mutiny or desertion, shall be branded in the manner prescribed by the said Act.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

POSTAL NOTICE.

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All Letters Posted on, or after, the 1st of September, upon which at least a single rate of postage, that is to say 4 annas on a Southampton letter and 6 annas on a Marseilles letter has not been paid, will be returned to the senders. But in order to obviate the inconvenience which would be caused to the public, by detaining and returning to the senders, letters which, *through inadvertence*, may be posted without the full amount of postage being paid upon them, but on which at least a single rate of postage has been paid, will be forwarded, charged with the deficiency of postage, and a fine of six pence or four annas.

Pre-payment must be made as now by Stamps.

G. PATON,

Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp, Meerut, the 5th June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 22ND JULY 1858.

No. 579.—Officers Commanding Punjab Infantry Regiments, serving in Military Cantonments in the Punjab, are reminded that these Regiments are, as far as regards their military duties, under the entire control of the Military Authorities under whose command they are serving, and that all references connected with their duties, should be made to, or through, their Military Superiors.

LAHORE, 23RD JULY, 1858.

2ND PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 580.—Jemadar Fraidoon is permitted to resign the service.

1ST SIKH INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 581.—Jemadar Summund Khan to be Subadar, in room of Ram Churn Sing, struck off.

Havildar Bussun Sing to be Jemadar in room of Binda Sing, struck off.

Havildar Jeymul Sing to be Jemadar, in room of Summund Khan promoted.

The above promotions are to have effect from the 4th January last, and are to be considered as superseding those notified in Punjab Order, No. 487, dated 15th ultimo, which is hereby cancelled.

No. 582.—With the sanction of Government, the establishments of Gunta Pandies, in all Regiments of Infantry of the Punjab Irregular Force, are abolished with effect from the 1st of September next.

2.—Officers Commanding Regiments are requested to forward to this office, with as little delay as possible, rolls of the men effected by this order, showing their period of service, in view to their claims to gratuity on discharge being considered.

1ST REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 583.—Regimental Order, dated 20th May, by Captain F. W. Lambert, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant R. F. Angelo to act as Adjutant, in room of Lieutenant J. P. Davidson, nominated Officiating Commandant of Sooltan Jan's Ressalla, is confirmed.

14TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 584.—Sepoy Mulla, from the 3rd Punjab Police Battalion, from the 1st proximo.

LAHORE, 24TH JULY 1858.

14TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 585.—Jemadar Sadut Khan, to be Subadar, from the 30th June, in room of Subadar Jowalla Sing transferred to the Mounted Police.

16TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 586.—Sepoy	Hookum Sing,	From the 2nd Regiment Punjab Infantry, with effect from 13th instant.
,,	Kesser Sing,	
,,	Nutta Sing,	
,,	Jewun Sing,	
,,	Nehal Sing,	
,,	Dull Sing,	
,,	Kulla Sing,	
,,	Manah Sing,	
,,	Futteh Sing,	
,,	Meea Sing,	

STOKE'S PATHAN HORSE.

No. 587.—Native Doctor Koorshial Ally, who was directed to do duty in Meerut Division Order No. 361, dated 28th June 1858, is posted to the Pathan Horse

No. 588.—The services of Lieutenant P. R. Crolly being no longer required with the 11th Punjab Infantry, that Officer is, with the sanction of Government, directed to rejoin his own Regiment, the 62nd Native Infantry.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

KUNNIAH LALL.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

General Dept. No. 1,540-1, dated 24th July, 1858.

Mr. W. C. Plowden, Assistant Commissioner, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the Rohtuck District.

Judl. Dept. No. 517, dated 26th July, 1858.

Mr. H. Hankey, Assistant Commissioner, to be Registrar of Deeds in the Paneeput district.

TRANSFER.

General Dept. No. 1,542-3, dated 24th July 1858.

Mr. R. P. Jenkins, Deputy Commissioner, from the Rohtuck to the Paneeput district.

LEAVE.

Revenue Dept. No. 649-50, dated 26th July, 1858.

The unexpired portion (from 1st to 9th July, 1858) of the leave on medical certificate, granted to Mr. C. C. Smyth, Deputy Collector of Salt Revenue, notified in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 29th May, 1858, is hereby cancelled.

General Dept. No. 1,575-7, dated 28th July 1858.

Captain J. W. Bristow, Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, returned from furlough, has obtained two months' leave of absence to enable him to rejoin his appointment.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTICE.

The attention of Heads of Departments in the Punjab is hereby directed to Act XIII. of 1858, published at page 821 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, relating to the punishment of persons who unlawfully possess or conceal arms or other property belonging to Her Majesty, or to the East India Company; the said Act having been extended to the Punjab.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

The attention of all Public Officers in the Punjab is particularly requested to the following clause of the Rules for the management of the Post Office Department, passed by the Governor General of India in Council, on the 12th August 1854. By inattention to this, the mail is often loaded with superfluous envelopes.

XXIX. "All public despatches are to be "made up in the most compact form possible, "and whenever two or more letters are despatch-"ed from any one office to the same individual "by the same day's post, they are to be put up "under one cover, provided they do not, in the "aggregate, exceed 12 tolahs weight."

By order of the Chief Commissioner.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commissioner.

Lahore, 23d July 1858.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General are re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's Camp, for general information:—

Home Department.

No. 297.

ALLAHABAD, THE 19TH JULY, 1858.

With reference to the Notification No. 122, dated the 11th May last, the Governor General is pleased to modify the Rule laid down therein, by permitting the grant of "Privilege Leave," in special cases, at the discretion of the Local Government.

The restriction in respect to Furloughs, and the grant of leave on private affairs, under Section XIV. of the Covenanted Civil Absentee Rules, will be maintained until further orders.

Foreign Department.

No. 2244.

ALLAHABAD, THE 19TH JULY, 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to promote Rae Moonna Lall to the 2nd Class of Extra Assistant Commissioners in the Delhi Division.

(True Copies.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following order by the Hon'ble the President in Council is re-published from the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information :—

Foreign Department.

No. 2461

FORT WILLIAM, THE 16TH JULY 1858.

The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed Municipal Commissioners for the station of Simla for the year 1858-59, under Act XXVI. of 1850 :—

Colonel P. Innes.
Mr. C. H. Barrett.
Captain G. Pengree.
Major S. B. Goad.
Dr. W. Peskett.
Colonel C. D. Blair.

(True copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following Government letter, in the Public Works Department, is published for general information :—

No. 3,240.

From

MAJOR R. STRACHEY,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,

To

SIR J. LAWRENCE, G. C. B.,

Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

Dated the 13th July, 1858.

Public Works Department, Public.

SIR,—In reply to your Secretary's letter No. 169-1007, dated 3rd instant, I am directed to intimate, that Civil Engineers sent out by the Hon'ble Court of Directors, being under Covenant, are not required to give security; vide para. 1. Chapter XVII. of the New Public Works Code.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) R. STRACHEY, *Major*,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
The 13th July, 1858.

(True copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

CIRCULAR No. 6-515.

From

R. TEMPLE, ESQUIRE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr. for the Punjab.

To

ALL COMMISSIONERS

of Divisions, except Peshawur.

Dated Lahore, 26th July, 1858.

Judicial.

SIRS,—An instance having lately been brought to the notice of the Chief Commissioner, of a District Officer having released, on his own authority, a deserter from a Punjab Regiment, who was undergoing in the Civil Jail a sentence awarded by a Military Tribunal, before the term of imprisonment had expired; I am directed to point out that Civil Officers, who may have received charge of a Prisoner sentenced by the Military Authorities, cannot interfere with that sentence, or release the Prisoner on any pretext whatever.

2nd.—The Chief Commissioner has ruled that so long as Officers Commanding Regiments of the Punjab Force may exercise Magisterial Powers in matters connected with their corps, their decisions shall be appealable only to the Brigadier General Commanding the Punjab Force, and from that Officer to the Chief Commissioner. In cases where the corps are not under the Brigadier General, the decisions of the Commanding Officer will be appealable only to the Chief Commissioner, so long as the corps are under his control; save and except occasions where they may be serving in the field, in which case the appellate power may be exercised at the discretion of the superior Military authority of the time being, under whom the corps may be serving.

I have the honor to be,

Sirs,

Your most Obedient Servant,

R. TEMPLE,

Secretary to Chief Commr.

Lahore,
The 26th July, 1858.

(COPIES.)

From

C. BEADON, ESQUIRE,

Secretary to the Govt. of India,

To

No. 1,007 *The Secy. to Govt. of Fort St. George.*
" 1,008 *The Secy. to Govt. of Bombay.*
" 1,549 *The Secy. to Govt. of Bengal.*
" 1,009 *The Secy. to Govt. of N. W. Provinces.*

Dated 29th June, 1858.

SIRS,—With reference to my letter No.* dated the 10th July 1857, forwarding a Proclamation of the same date, in the last paragraph whereof it was declared that "every pensioner of the Go-

* No. 1,010.
" 1,011.
" 1,314.
" 1,009.

"vernment who conceals or harbours any person "whom he knows or has reason to believe to "have been guilty of mutiny or desertion, or of "waging war against the Government, or of "seducing or attempting to seduce any officer or "soldier from his allegiance or duty, or who "fails to do his utmost to secure the apprehen- "sion and conviction of such offender, or who "neglects to give immediate notice to the Civil or "Military Authorities of any mutinous or rebel- "lious designs of which he may become cogni- "zant, will, in addition to the punishment to "which he is liable by law, forfeit his pension;" and with reference to the G. O. G. G. No. 1514 of the 1st December last, issued from the Military Department, directing the convening of committees to enquire into the conduct of all male pensioners who may fail to prefer their claims within the prescribed time, or who may be supposed to have been within the circle of mutinous influences, for the purpose of determining whether the conduct of such pensioners has been such as to call for a forfeiture of their pensions.—I am directed to transmit the accompanying copy of an extract No. 1435, dated the 25th instant, from the proceedings of the Government of India, in the Military Department, and to call the attention of the Governments of* to paragraph 5 of the letter to the Adjutant General of the Army therein contained, in order that committees may, in all cases, when convened under the Geneal Orders above adverted to, be constituted as regards their members: in accordance with the desire of the Honorable the President in Council as expressed in *that paragraph.*

* Fort St. George. Bombay. Bengal. N. W. Provinces.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) C. BEADON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Fort William,
the 29th June 1858.

No. 1620.

Ordered that a copy of this letter and of the extracts from the proceedings in the Military Department therein referred to, be forwarded to the Foreign Department for further orders, with reference to extract to that Department No. 1117, dated the 10th July, 1857.

No. 1621.

Ordered, that a copy of this letter be communicated to the Military Department, in reply to the Extract from that Department, No. 1435, dated the 25th instant.

(Sd.) R. B. CHAPMAN,

Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1435

Extract from the proceedings of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Military Department, under date the 25th June 1858.

No. 1434

From

MAJOR F. D. ATKINSON,

Offg. Secretary to Government of India in the Military Department,

To

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

of the Army.

Dated Fort William, the 25th June 1858.

SIR,—The proceedings of certain committees assembled at Dinapore under the operation of Government General Order, No. 1514, of the 1st December last, to institute enquiry and to record their opinion on the conduct of the native pensioners of the Dinapore Circle, having been submitted for the consideration of Government, I am directed to acquaint you, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, that the proceedings in question fail to show on what grounds the committees have arrived at their conclusions, and that it is therefore out of the power of the Hon'ble the President in Council to come to a satisfactory decision on the several cases.

Military Dept.

2.—It will be seen by these proceedings (herewith transmitted) that the grounds for recommending a forfeiture of pension are stated to be simply "has done nothing loyal," or "has shown no loyalty." But it is not stated that the pensioner had no opportunity of doing a loyal act, or of showing loyalty.

3.—The Government General Order, No. 1514, of 1st December, declares that pensioners who "fail to establish a reasonable ground for believing that they have not only not joined in the rebellion, but that they have, according to their opportunities, taken part with the Government, shall forfeit their pensions."

4.—From the several proceedings submitted, it is doubtful whether the words "according to their opportunities taken part with the Government," may not have been misunderstood. The Hon'ble the President in Council desires that Committees may be informed that the meaning of the words is that a pensioner who may succeed in establishing a reasonable ground for believing that he did not personally join in the rebellion, shall nevertheless forfeit his pension if, having had an opportunity of taking part with the Government, he fails to show that he availed himself of that opportunity; but that it was not intended to strike off pensioners not suspected of having taken part in the rebellion, who did not take an active part with Government when they had no opportunity of doing so.

5.—His Honor in Council is of opinion that all Committees to enquire into the conduct of pensioners should be composed of selected Officers, well acquainted with the Native character, and that a Civil Officer having a knowledge of the district (to be nominated by the Commissioner) should be a member in all cases.

6.—In every case it should be stated whether there is or is not reasonable ground for believing that the pensioner did not join in the rebellion; and whenever that question is affirmed, it should be stated whether the pensioner had or had not

an opportunity of taking part with the Government; and if he had, whether he availed himself of it or not.

7.—As it is impossible to decide on the cases which have been submitted by the Dinapore Committee, the Hon'ble the President in Council has resolved that the conduct of the pensioners of the Dinapore Circle, including those struck off in Government General Order, No. 501, of 1858, shall be again enquired into by a Committee composed as above.

8.—His Honor in Council is desirous that the true intent of the Government General Order in question should be carried fairly into execution. The intention is to throw the burthen of establishing a reasonable ground of belief in his loyalty upon the pensioner, but not to require of him what is impossible or unreasonable.

I am, &c.,

(Sd.) F. D. ATKINSON, *Major*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing be forwarded to the Home Department for information, and further orders, with reference to paragraph 5.

(True Extract.)

(Sd.) F. D. ATKINSON, *Major*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

(True copy.)

(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr. Punjab.

No. 1858-59.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

of

Dated Lahore, 23rd July 1858.

Circular No. 27.

SIR,—I have the honor to request, that you will in future dispense with the transmission of Vouchers in support of charges on account of Remittances of subscriptions to the Bengal Military Fund, the Bengal Military Orphan Fund, and the Medical Retiring Fund, as such charges are susceptible of check in this Office by a referenee to the credit entries in the monthly Registers of Remittance. The debit entries in your Treasury account should, therefore, give a distinct reference to the No. and date of the Bill under which each Remittance is made.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore,
The 23rd July 1858.

No. OF 1858-59.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,
LAHORE,

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

of

Dated Lahore, 27th July, 1858.

Resource. Circular No. 28.

SIR,—It is laid down at page 70 of the Accountant's Manual that "The arrival of all remittances at any Station, whether designed for that Treasury or not, should be immediately reported to the Accountant, specifying the Remitting Officer and the date of the Chulan accompanying the treasure." And again, at para. 12 of the Memorandum of Instructions, which District Officers are enjoined by Circular of the late Board of Administration, No. 26, dated 16th April 1850, to deliver to Officers proceeding in command of Treasure Escorts, it is directed that "any Specie Remittance passing through a District to another must be carefully looked after, and the state of the boxes, carts, and its arrival and departure, immediately reported to the Accountant by the Collector of such District. On its arrival that Officer will ascertain, either personally or through his Deputy, the condition of the carts, bullocks, and boxes; and fresh or new ones when required, must be supplied without delay, as Escort parties, and particularly Corps or Detachments taking charge of Treasure when *en route to their destination under relief or other* circumstances, must not be unnecessarily detained."

2.—It is moreover ruled at page 69 of the Manual, that "Collector's Treasurers and Podars are all responsible for the contents of the Treasure-chests and boxes; and the Remitting Collector is strictly enjoined to satisfy himself by personal inspection, that the amount of treasure described in the Chulan is really contained in the boxes, chests, or tumbrils." It follows then, that this responsibility can only terminate with the possession by the remitter of the consignee's receipt for the value of the Invoice; and it is but just that he should be kept duly informed of any detention which the treasure may suffer en route: I have therefore the honor to prescribe the subjoined rule for your observance in addition to those above quoted.

RULE.—Whenever specie remittances in transit may have arrived at a station, and from any cause be there detained, or be temporarily placed under charge of the District Officer, it will be the duty of the latter to make an immediate report of the fact to the Remitting Officer; and in like manner a similar report should be made when the remittance is sent onwards to its destination. In both cases, special mention should be made of the condition of the tumbrils, chests, boxes, locks, seals, &c.

3.—Six copies in English and a like number in the vernacular of the printed Memorandum of

instructions above referred to, are herewith enclosed for the use of your office.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
JAS. CHRISTIE,
Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab,
Accountant's Office,
Lahore, 27th July 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that parties who have suffered loss of Property in the Punjab Territories, (including Delhi Territory, Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, and Punjab Proper,) during the late mutinies and disturbances, and who may desire that their claims for compensation should be investigated, must refer their respective cases, with all the requisite particulars. if the amount claimed be less than Rs. 50,000 (fifty thousand,) within three months, to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. For instance, if the loss occurred at Delhi, or Goorgaon, the claimant will apply to the Commissioner of Delhi; if at Hissar, or Hansee, or Sirsa, to the Commissioner of Hissar; if at Seealkote, to the Commissioner of Lahore, and so on. After the expiry of three months from the date of this notice, no claim can be received. But if the amount o claim exceed 50,000 Rs., then the applicantf though he must prefer his application within the, three months above described, may have a further period of three months within which to furnish detailed particulars. The above limit of time applies to parties in India. If the parties be in Europe, or elsewhere out of India, they may prefer their claims with full particulars within six months. Those parties whose claims have been already forwarded to this Office, are hereby informed that their cases will now be referred to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. Claims of this nature can be received from Europeans and Christians generally, and from natives of India, who suffered from their fidelity to the British Government.

Lahore, *23rd June,* 18 8. R. TEMPLE, *Secy. to Chief Commr.*

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Pre-payment must be made as now by Stamps.

G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp,
Meerut, the 5th June,
1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 28TH JULY 1858.

15TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 589.—Jemadars Luckha Sing and Boota Sing are dismissed the Service; the former from the date of receipt of this order at Regimental Head Quarters; the latter from date of his imprisonment by the Civil Power.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 590.—The undermentioned men are transferred from the 5th Punjab Infantry:—

Havildar Muddeh Khan.
,, Hussain Khan.
,, Wuzeer Singh.
Naick Shaikh Khodabuksh.
,, Bahadoor Khan.
,, Dewa Singh.
,, Elahe Buksh.
Sepoy Gowara.
,, Khan Mulk.
,, Ebundeen.
,, Sujjeewah.
,, Omur Khan.
,, Sukka.
,, Kurruck Sing.
,, Khuzan Sing.
,, Bela Sing.
,, Ruheem Bux.
,, Lena Sing.
,, Ahmed Khan.
,, Hurdut Sing.
,, Boor Sing.
,, Mogul.

18TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 591.—Jemadar Mahomed Kasim is permitted to resign the service.

2ND REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 592.—Lieut. E. D. H. Vibart, doing duty, from 17th June to the 1st November 1858, on Medical Certificate, to remain at Nynee Tal.

2ND REGIMENT SIKH INFANTRY.

No. 593.—The following will in future be the organization as to castes and races of this Regiment :—

Hill Rajpoots (Dogras,)	5 Companies.
Sikhs, ...	1 Company.
Punjabee Mahomedans, ...	2 Companies.
Trans-Indus Pathans.	1 Company.
Hindoostanees, ...	1 Company.

13TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 594.—The Regimental order, dated 19th June, by Lieutenant Cox, Commanding, appointing Ensign J. B. Smith, supernumerary, to do duty, *vice* Ensign T. H. Scott, appointed to officiate as Adjutant, is confirmed.

23RD REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 595.—The garrison order, dated 2nd July, by Brigadier J. Longfield, C. B., Commanding at Delhi, directing Assistant Surgeon J. Brake, 2nd Sikh Irregular Cavalry, to afford medical aid to the Right Wing and Head Quarters of this Regiment, in addition to his other duties, is confirmed.

OUDE MOUNTED POLICE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 596.—Sowars Kissen Sing, Jewunda Sing, and Yawur Ally, from the 2nd Regiment Punjab Cavalry.

ERRATUM.

No. 597.—In Punjab Order, No. 556, dated 10th instant, appointing Captain Dickson to the 1st Sikh Infantry, for "*late*" 33rd Native Infantry, read 33rd Native Infantry.

W. WYLD, *Captain*,

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

DISMISSAL.

Rambhuj, Mohurrir in the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Simla, dismissed for intriguing and disreputable conduct, is proscribed from further employment in the Punjab.

General Dept. No. 1579-81, dated 29th July. 1858.

LEAVE.

Captain A. L. Busk, Deputy Commissioner of Thanesur, returned from Furlough, has obtained two months' leave of absence to enable him to rejoin his appointment.

General Dept. No. 1584-86, dated 29th July 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

COPY.
No. 506.

From
R. TEMPLE, ESQUIRE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr. for the Punjab,

To
R. N. CUST, ESQUIRE,
Commr. and Supt., Lahore Division.
Dated Lahore, 22nd July 1858.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge your letter No. 106 of the 26th ultimo, soliciting orders as to whether Punjabee soldiers of Local Corps should be permitted to visit their homes with arms; and in reply to inform you that, concurring with you in opinion that there would be no sufficient check on irregular licenses, nor sufficient guarantee that the soldiers would not leave their arms at home if they are permitted to carry them when visiting their villages, the Chief Commissioner has ruled that this indulgence shall not be granted.

Judicial Dept.

2. This however does not abrogate the order marginally* noted, whereby soldiers of the Punjab Irregular Force serving Trans-Indus and Huzara, are allowed when on leave to carry arms under pass from Commanding Officers; nor the orders also marginally* noted, whereby soldiers returning home from service in Hindoostan, are also allowed to carry arms similarly under a pass.

* No. 648, dated 28th July 1855, from Secy. to Chief Commissioner, to Brigadier Genl. Chamberlain, Comdg. Punjab Irregular Force.

* Circular No. 2, dated 19th April 1858.

3. But the Chief Commissioner will request Commanding Officers of the Corps above described to be careful that when a man who took arms under a pass, returns from leave, he brings back the arms with him.

4. The Military Secretary has been requested to issue orders accordingly from his Department, to the effect that sepoys of the Punjab, when visiting their villages, should not be permitted to take arms with them.

I have, &c.,
(Sd). R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commissioner, Punjab.

Published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

NO. of 1858-59.

From
THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,

To
THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of
Dated Lahore, 30th July, 1858.

SIR,—I have the honor to request that you will, in future, refer all applications for the cancellation of Supply Bills to this Office for orders, which will be issued with reference to the state and prospects of the Treasuries at the time. The application should state the grounds on which cancellation is solicit-

Circular No. 29.

ed, and whether a refund is desired in cash, or by Exchange Drafts on another Treasury.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

JAS. CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 30th July, 1858.

The following Orders by the Right Honble the Governor General are re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's camp for general information :—

Foreign Department.

No. 2381

Allahabad, the 26th July, 1858.

The Governor General is pleased to appoint Lalla Hurgobind, to be an Extra-Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd grade, in the Delhi Territory, with effect from the 23rd November 1857.

No. 2,385.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor-General is pleased to confirm the appointment, made by the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, of Assistant Surgeon J. J. T. Lawrence, to the medical charge of the Civil station of Dhurmsalla, as a temporary arrangement.

No. 2,396.

The Governor-General is pleased to appoint Lieutenant W. R. M. Holroyd, 23rd Native Infantry, to be Inspector of Schools in the Delhi Territory, on probation.

(True copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Under instructions from the Officiating Director General of the Post Office in India, the present system of *optional pre-payment of letters sent from India to the United Kingdom will be Abolished from the 1st September next.* The pre-payment of postage on letters posted in any part of India for the United Kingdom, whether marked *via* Southampton or *via* Marseilles, will, accordingly from the 1st September next, be *Compulsory.*

All Letters Posted on, or after, the 1st of September, upon which at least a single rate of postage, that is to say 4 annas on a Southampton letter and 6 annas on a Marseilles letter has not been paid, will be returned to the senders. But in order to obviate the inconvenience which would be caused to the public, by detaining and returning to the senders, letters which, *through inadvertence,* may be posted without the full amount of postage being paid upon them, but on which at least a single rate of postage has been paid, will be forwarded, charged with the deficiency of postage, and a fine of six pence or four annas.

Pre-payment must be made as now by Stamps.

G. PATON,

Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp, Meerut, the 5th June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 29TH JULY, 1858.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 598—The Regimental Order by Captain R. Ouseley, Commanding, dated 5th instant, directing Lieutenant T. G. H. Ryan to do duty with the corps as a temporary arrangement, and to assume command of 4 companies at the stone bridge at Shahjehanpore, is confirmed.

9TH POLICE BATTALION.

TRANSFERS.

No. 599.—Sepoys Wulleedad Khan and Lall Khan, from the 2nd Punjab Infantry.

No. 600.—The following Government letter, conveying sanction to the temporary employment of unpassed Officers in staff situations, is published for information and guidance :—

No. 288.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

Punjab.

Dated 11th May, 1858.

Military Department

With reference to your Military Secretary's letter No. 5,884, 97-348, dated 28th June, 1858, regarding the grant of allowances to unpassed Officers appointed to the staff, and suggesting that the provisions of the order requiring all Officers to pass in the Native languages, to render them eligible for staff employ, be held in abeyance for the present, I am directed to inform you, that the measure you propose has, for some time past, been adopted by the Governor-General, and by the Commander-in-Chief with the sanction of Government, and that His Lordship sanctions its adoption by you.

2. The necessary instructions on the subject will be issued to the Audit Department.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*

Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept. with the Governor General.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 601.—The undermentioned Sepoys from the 4th Punjab Infantry :—

Ameer Singh.
Jowallah.
Dussa Singh.
Peer Bux.
Kullunder Khan.
Urjoon.

LAHORE, 31ST JULY, 1858.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 602.—Lieut. R. Gibson, officiating Adjutant, is appointed to act as 2nd in command, in addition to his other duties, with effect from 13th April. This is to be considered as superseding that portion of Punjab Order, No. 359, dated 4th May last, relating to that Officer.

5TH POLICE BATTALION.

PROMOTION.

No. 603.—Havildar Rahim Bukhsh to be Jemadar, in room of Bahadoor Khan, dismissed the service.

No. 604.—Much inconvenience and additional labor being entailed on officers in charge of Treasuries, from a disregard of rules relating to family remittances of Native Soldiers, the attention of officers Commanding Punjab Regiments is directed to the orders as per margin ;* the requirements of which are to be carefully carried out.

*Pay Code of 1849, Sec XXV, paras. 102 to 106.

4TH REGIMENT SIKH INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 605.—The Regimental order dated 10th June, 1857, by Captain O. E. Rothney, commanding, directing Lieut. James Yorke, 3rd Native Infantry, to do duty, with effect from the 8th instant, is confirmed.

No. 3 PUNJAB LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.

No. 606.—Farrier G. Hemsley, of the 1st troop 2nd Briga de Horse Artillery, having been placed at the Chief Commissioner's disposal, in Lahore Division Order No. 253, dated 17th July, is appointed Assistant Farrier and Saddler Sergeant, and is to be directed to proceed and join at Bunnoo.

12TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 607.—The Regimental order by Lieutenant M. J. White, Commanding, dated 23d July, directing Lieutenant and Adjutant H. H. Christian to act as 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, is confirmed, as a temporary arrangement.

10TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 608.—Havildar Summunder Khan is transferred as Jemadar to the Police Battalion, now being raised at Lahore.

24TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 609.—The Regimental order dated 8th April, by Lieutenant Gulliver, Commanding, directing Lieutenant J. St. J. Hovenden to assume Command, and Ensign J. Chalmers to act as 2nd in command, in addition to his duties as Adjutant, consequent on his own departure on leave, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

The Regimental Order dated 18th July, by Lieut. J. St. J. Hovenden, Commanding, making over Command of the Corps to Ensign Chalmers, Officiating Adjutant and 2nd in Command, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

No. 610.—3rd Class Native Doctor Raheem Khan, doing duty with Punjab Infantry Depot, Lahore, is appointed to the detachment Towanna Horse under the Command of Lieutenant Orchard.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

KUNNIAH LALL.—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Lieutenant G. F. J. Lewin, Assistant Commissioner, Ferozepore, has obtained one month's indulgence leave from 1st August 1858.

General Dept., No. 1622-3, dated 2nd August 1858.

Captain C. W. Hutchinson, Assistant to Chief Engineer, Punjab, has obtained two months' indulgence leave from 1st September 1858.

P. W. Dept., No. 1186-7, dated 3rd August 1858.

Mr. W. Robertson, Assistant Commissioner, Delhi, has obtained three months' leave on medical certificate, from 23rd July 1858.

General Dept., No. 1648-9, dated 4th August 1858.

TRANSFERS.

General Dept., No. 1648-9, dated 4th August 1858.

Extra Assistant Moulvee Ahmud Alee, from the Lahore to the Seealkote District.

General Dept., No. 1650-2, dated 4th August 1858.

Captain J. W. Bristow, Deputy Commissioner, from the Jhelum to the Googaira District.

Captain B. T. Reid, Deputy Commissioner, from the Googaira to the Jhelum District.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following order by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General is re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's camp for general information :—

Foreign Department.

No. 2444.

Allahabad, the 28th July, 1858.

The Governor General is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Extra-Assistants of the 3rd grade in the Punjab :—

Moonshee Ameen Chund.
Naik Ram.
Sheik Gholam Hussun.
Syud Sufdur Hossain Khan.
Colonel Dhunraj Sing.
Mr. Cecil Burton.

(True copy.)

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following order by the Hon'ble the President in Council is re-published from the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information :—

Foreign Department.

No. 2536.

Fort William, the 23rd July 1858.

Nusseeroollah Khan, Deputy Collector of Goorgaon, in the Delhi Division, is dismissed from the service of Government.

(True copy.)

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commissioner.

The attention of Officers in the Punjab is requested to the following Act of the Legislative Council of India, dated the 12th June 1858 :—

ACT No. XXII. OF 1858.

An Act to continue in force, for a further period, Acts XIV of 1857, XVI of 1857, and XVII of 1857, and to authorize in certain cases the transportation of offenders sentenced to imprisonment.

Preamble.

Whereas it is expedient that Acts XIV of 1857, XVI of 1857 and XVII of 1857, should continue in force until the end of the year 1859; and that, in certain cases, offenders sentenced to imprisonment under the said Acts, should be transported beyond the sea: It is enacted as follows :—

Acts XIV, XVI, and XVII of 1857 continued.

1.—Acts XIV of 1857, XVI of 1857, and XVII of 1857, shall continue in force until the end of the year 1859.

2.—Unless the Governor General in Council

Offenders sentenced to imprisonment may, in certain cases, be transported.

shall otherwise order, whenever any Court or other Officer shall sentence an offender under any of the said Acts to imprisonment for a term exceeding three years, it shall be lawful for such Court or other Officer at the same time to order that the offender be transported beyond sea for such term.

(Sd.) W. MORGAN,

Clerk of the Council.

(True copy.)
R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

The Chief Commissioner requests the attention of all Officers to the following Circular issued by the Chief Engineer, Punjab:—

CIRCULAR No. 16.

FROM

THE CHIEF ENGINEER,

Punjab,

To

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

_____________ *Circle.*

Dated Lahore, 22nd July, 1858.

Vide Mr. Secretary Temple's letter, No. 996, dated 9th July, 1858.

SIR,—I have the honor to re-publish and circulate, for the information and guidance of all Officers of the Engineer and Subordinate's Establishments of the Public Works Department in the Punjab, Circular No. 1,932, dated the 19th January, 1839, by the Superintending Engineer, N. W. Provinces, having reference to the disapprobation expressed by Government to the Subordinates of this Department entering into private speculations, and G. O. G. G., No. 3,200, dated 25th July, 1854, regarding sales, purchases, or transfer of property between Government Servants and Natives of rank or opulence.

2nd.—The first cited Circular contains a prohibition against the purchase or possession by Officers and Overseers of this Department of two or three, or more houses in the Station they reside at, as they might be led into private speculations likely to interfere with their Public duties, and they are therefore limited to the possession of one house only for their own use.

3rd.—The second cited order is a peremptory prohibition againt the sale or transfer of any description of property whatever above the value of Rupees 5,000 between Government servants and Foreign Princes, or Chiefs, or any Natives of influence, without sanction being previously obtained. These orders are imperative, and a breach of them on the part of a servant of Government will be followed by such penalty as may seem to be demanded, under the circumstances of the case.

4th.—Both these orders have, however, recently been infringed by a Subordinate of this Department, whose case has rendered it necessary to remind and forcibly to impress upon all Departmental Officers in the Punjab, that where these orders are disregarded, the offence will immediately be reported to Government. It must be clearly understood that, the prohibitions herein referred to, extend to Executive Officers as well as their Subordinates, and it is a duty now imperatively laid down, that any infringements of these rules should be reported by the superior of the offending party immediately the fact comes to his notice, as the practice, in all cases objectionable, becomes especially so, when Sale Transactions, or transfers take place between Department Employés and Government Contractors, and as the Chief Commissioner very properly deems this a matter "which nearly concerns that standard of honor, which it is so desirable to preserve throughout the Department," the object of this Circular must be carefully borne in mind and the injunctions as carefully observed.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) E. L. OMMANNEY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*

Offg. Chief Engineer, Punjab.

Copy of Circular No. 1,932, of the 19th January, 1839. By the Superintending Engineer, North Western Provinces.

No. 1,932 of the 19th January, 1839.

139.—Government having lately expressed its disapprobation of the subordinates of this Department entering into private speculations which might interfere with their Public duties, I have to request your attention to this subject.

140.—*2nd.*—Several instances have been brought to my notice of Warrant Officers and Overseers having two, three, or more houses, their property at the Station they reside at, which they retain for the purpose of renting, I have to request you prohibit this practice in future; it is not intended to interfere with those possessing this description of property at present, but to prevent others from entering into a speculation of the sort, you will therefore be pleased to make your several subordinates acquainted with this order, a breach of which subjects them to removal to some other Station; it will also be as well to ascertain what houses are their property at present, and prohibit any addition to the number.

141.—*3rd.*—Where no Government quarters are available, there is not the slightest objection to a man purchasing a house for his own use, it must be fully understood, that speculation in houses only is prohibited.

142.—*4th.*—Independent of other considerations there is a great objection to the subordinates of this Department having a description of property that must deteriorate by their absence, circumstances often occur which render their services requisite in another Division, whilst the knowledge that a removal might entail ruin on the party renders it an irksome duty on the Superintending Engineer to order it, on every account therefore it is most desirable that the Subordinates of this Department should have no local ties to interfere with their services being made available for any Station in this Circle.

143.—*5th.*—You will also most strictly prohibit their undertaking the construction or repair of private buildings or employing themselves on any other than Public Works, any breach of these orders to be immediately reported to me.

Copy of General Orders, G. O. G. G., No. 3,200, dated 25th July 1854.

By a resolution, dated the 31st October, 1821, the Governor General in Council was pleased to prohibit all sales, purchases, and transfers between the Civil and Military Servants of Government on the one hand, and Foreign Princes, or Chiefs, or natives of rank or opulence on the other, of "Grounds, Houses, Boats, Equipages, Plate, Furniture, and generally every description of private property, exceeding the value of Rupees 5,000, without the sanction of Government being previously obtained."

Vide Mily. Dept. G. G. O. No. 36, dated 7th Nov., 1821.

2nd.—On the 3rd December, 1832, a Circular letter was addressed to the Residents and Political Agents, directing that the sale of property by British Officers to Native Chiefs, or persons of rank at the Native Courts, being particularly liable to abuse, should be altogether discontinued, and on the 29th May, 1850, the Residents and Political Agents were again addressed, and furnished with copies of instructions from the Honorable Court of Directors to the same effect.

3rd.—It has been brought to the notice of Government that, notwithstanding these repeated orders, the practice in question still prevails. The Most Noble the Governor General in Council, therefore, acting in conformity with the wishes of the Court of Directors, is pleased to notify for general information, that the Officers of Government, of whatever rank or class, are absolutely prohibited from selling or being concerned in the sale of property, of any amount or description, to Native Princes and Chiefs, or to their relatives or ministers, or to any Native gentleman of rank or opulence, residing under the protection of the British Government.

4th.—Any disobedience of these orders will be followed by the displeasure of the Government of India, and by such other penalty as the circumstances of the case may demand.

5th.—These orders are to be considered applicable to all Officers of the British Government in what ever Presidency they may be serving.

(True Copies.)

J. G. JONES,

Superintendent.

(True Copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following order by the Hon'ble the President in Council is re-published from the Calcutta Gazette for general information :—

No. 1713.

The 27th July 1858.

In supersession of the Notification from this Department, of the 20th November 1857, the Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following Extract from the Proceedings in the Financial Department, dated the 21st instant, No. 3915 :—

Read again the Resolution passed in this Department on the 13th November 1857, on the subject of granting assistance to sufferers in consequence of the mutinies.

Read a Minute by the Hon'ble the President, dated the 13th instant, concurred in by the Hon'ble Sir J. Outram, the Hon'ble H Ricketts, and the Hon'ble B. Peacock.

Resolution.—The Hon'ble the President in Council has had reason to believe that local Officers have, in some cases, thought it necessary, under the words of the Order contained in the final Clause of Para. 2 of the Resolution passed in this *Department*, under date the 13th November 1857, on the subject of granting assistance to sufferers in consequence of the mutinies, to require formal Certificates of the loyalty of applicants for such assistance, when by reason of the class of persons to which such applicants belong, or by reason of any other circumstance, no doubt of their loyalty could possibly exist.

His Honor in Council observes that it was not the intention of Government that applicants, of whose loyalty no doubt could exist, should be required to furnish Certificates of their loyalty; and for that reason, as well as for the purpose of making it clear that East Indians were intended to have the benefit of the Rules, it is resolved that the orders of the 13th November 1857 be re-published in the following amended form, in the Official *Gazette,* in supersession of the orders published by the Home Department, under date the 20th November 1857; and His Honor in Council directs that the attention of the Local Governments under the Presidency of Fort William be called to the change.

Amended Resolution.—The Hon'ble Court, in their Public Despatch, No. 118 of 1857, dated the *26th* August, having expressed an anxious desire that every measure of succour within the power of the Government should be promptly afforded to the survivors of those who have suffered from the loss of relations and property during the recent disturbances, especially to the widows and orphans of Civil and Military Officers, who have fallen victims to the outbreak, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council considers that the different ways in which aid may be suitably afforded by the Government, are as follows :—

1st.—By grants of money to European, East Indian and Native Civil and Military Officers of the Government, who have lost the whole or a large portion of their property by the mutinies.

2nd.—By Pensions to the families of Uncovenanted Officers of the Government who have been killed in the mutinies, and have not left means either in property or in claims on any Insurance or Charitable Fund.

3rd.—By the grant of relief to the Bengal Military Fund, to enable it to meet the liabilities thrown upon it in consequence of the mutinies.

4th.—By grants of money to Europeans and others not in the service of the Government.

5th.—By Pensions to the destitute families of Europeans and East Indians killed in the mutinies.

6th.—By free passages on board Government Steamers.

2. With regard to grants of money to European, East Indian and Native Officers of Government, His Lordship in Council is of opinion that the following principle should be observed—

1st.—That grants to Military Officers should be adjusted according to the scale allowed under the Pay and Audit Regulations to Officers of Artillery and Infantry, as compensation for the loss of Baggage and Camp Equipage when on duty in the Field, *viz* :—

To a Colonel	Rs.	3,980	0	0
Lieut. Col., ...	,,	3,137	0	0
Major	,,	2,813	0	0
Captain	,,	2,024	0	0
Subaltern	,,	1,450	0	0
Deputy and Assistant Commissary... ...	,,	1,450	0	0
Conductors, Apothecaries and Stewards	,,	920	15	0
Assistant Apothecaries and Stewards	,,	606	14	1

To Native Officers, one month's pay and full Batta.

2nd.—That grants to Covenanted Civil Officers should be regulated on the same scale according to their relative scale.

3rd.—That grants to Uncovenanted Civil Officers should be awarded according to the undermentioned scale :—

If on salaries of Rs. 500 a month or upwards ..	Rs.	2,000
If on salaries of Rs. 250 a month or upwards ..	,,	1,000
If on salaries of Rs. 100 a month or upwards ..	,,	500
If on salaries of Rs. 50 a month or upwards ..	,,	200
If on salaries of Rs. 25 a month or upwards ..	,,	100
If on salaries in excess of 10 Rs. a month	,,	50

Provided that, in the case of natives, no Donation or Pension shall be sanctioned, until it is ascertained that the applicant not only has in no way been concerned in mutiny or rebellion, but also that he has, to the extent of his ability, rendered active service to the British Government.

3. In every case also a declaration on honor should be required from the Officer concerned, to the effect that he has lost property to the full value of the sum awardable to him.

4. Claims to grants under this head should be preferred by Civil Officers and Military Officers in Civil employ to the authority of the district in which the loss occurred, and submitted by him, after such enquiry and with such remarks as he may think necessary to the Commissioner of the Division, who should be authorized to admit or reject the claim subject, in the case of rejection, to an appeal to the local Government, whose decision should be final.

5. Claims to grants under this head by Military Officers on Regimental or Staff duty should be made to their Commanding Officer or the Head of their Department, who, after such enquiry as he may think necessary, may admit or reject the claim subject, in the case of rejection, to an appeal to this Government.

6. No grant under this head will be made to the estate or family of a deceased Officer, the object being to enable Officers to supply themselves with necessary equipment without incurring debt, and no grant will be made to any Officer whose loss may seem to have occurred through any fault or neglect of his own.

7. With respect to the Pensions to be granted to the destitute widows and children of Uncovenanted Officers, who have lost their lives in consequence of the mutinies, His Lordship in Council observes that no fixed Rule exists for the determination of the amount of Pensions provided for their families by the Subscribers to the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund ; but that the Subscriptions to the Fund appear to be, for the most part, in proportion to the salaries of the several Members ; and His Lordship in Council is of opinion that it will be equitable in granting Pensions in the cases under consideration, to divide the applicants into classes with reference to the salaries drawn by the deceased Officers, in somewhat the same manner as is proposed for the regulation of donations to Officers who have lost property, and to award Pensions equal to the average amount of Pensions subscribed for by Members of the Fund of each class.

8. The Classes will be as follows :—

1st.—Cases in which the deceased men were drawing salaries of 500 Rupees a month and upwards.

2nd.—Cases in which the deceased men were drawing salaries of 300 Rupees a month and less than 500 Rupees.

3rd.—Cases in which the deceased men were drawing 200 Rupees a month and less than 300 Rupees.

4th—Cases in which the deceased men were drawing 100 Rupees a month and less than 200 Rupees.

5th.—Cases in which the deceased men were drawing 50 Rupees a month and less than 100 Rupees.

9. Cases in which the deceased men were drawing less than 50 Rupees a month, will be decided with reference to the peculiar circumstances of each, on the understanding that, as a general rule, Pensions to widows shall not be granted in excess of 1-5th of the pay of the deceased Officers, or to children in excess of 1-4th of the Pensions of the widows.

10. In all cases the Pensions of widows shall cease on re-marriage, those of sons on their attaining the age of 18 years, and those of daughters on marriage.

11. In exceptional cases Pensions will be allowed to other female relatives.

12. All applications for such Pensions must be submitted, in the usual manner, through the local Civil Authorities.

13. As regards the grant of relief to the Military Fund, the Governor General in Council considers that it will be more advisable to undertake the annual payment of the Pensions of those who have become entitled to them, than to make over to the Fund, a sum equal to the present value of those Pensions.

14. With reference to grants of money to Europeans or East Indians not being Civil or Military Officers of the Government, His Lordship in Council considers that such grants should be given to those who have lost all or nearly all their property in consequence of the mutinies, and who have not the means of setting themselves up again either in business or otherwise.

15. Similar grants will be made to those persons, not being Europeans or East Indians, who may be certified, by any Officer authorized by Government to give the Certificate, to have sustained damage in consequence of, or whilst rendering active assistance to the Government.

16. In no case should a grant under this head exceed Rupees 2,000, the maximum allowed to Uncovenanted Officers, and the amount should be regulated according to the circumstances of each case.

17. Applications for grants under this head should be made to the Local Civil Officers and submitted by them to the Commissioners of Divisions after such enquiry and with such remarks as may be deemed necessary. The Commissioners will submit a general statement of such claims for the final decision of the local Government.

18. Pensions to the destitute families of Europeans or East Indians not in the service of Government killed in the mutinies will be granted on the same terms as to the families of Uncovenanted Civil Servants of the Gavernment, regard being had to the circumstances of life in each case, and special consideration being shown for the families of those who may have died in the temporary service of the State.

19. Free passages in Government and private Steamers have been granted already to all women and children proceeding from the stations up the country to Bengal. A similar indulgence will be allowed to such persons returning to their homes when the prohibition against residence in the disturbed districts is removed.

20. This indulgence, however, will be restricted to passages on board Government Steamers or in private Steamers taken up by the Government for the conveyance of stores, on the understanding that it will not be allowed to interfere with the conveyance of troops or of persons proceeding up the country on the Public Service.

Order—Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Home Department, for information and guidance and publication in the Official *Gazette*.

(A True Extract)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

(True Copies.)

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that parties who have suffered loss of Property in the Punjab Territories, (including Delhi Territory, Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, and Punjab Proper,) during the late mutinies and disturbances, and who may desire that their claims for compensation should be investigated, must refer their respective cases, with all the requisite particulars, if the amount claimed be less than Rs. 50,000 (fifty thousand,) within three months, to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. For instance, if the loss occurred at Delhi, or Goorgaon, the claimant will apply to the Commissioner of Delhi; if at Hissar, or Hansee, or Sirsa, to the Commissioner of Hissar; if at Seealkote, to the Commissioner of Lahore, and so on. After the expiry of three months from the date of this notice, no claim can be received. But if the amount of claim exceed 50,000 Rs., then the applicant, though he must prefer his application within the three months above described, may have a further period of three months within which to furnish detailed particulars. The above limit of time applies to parties in India. If the parties be in Europe, or elsewhere out of India, they may prefer their claims with full particulars within six months. Those parties whose claims have been already forwarded to this Office, are hereby informed that their cases will now be referred to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. Claims of this nature can be received from Europeans and Christians generally, and from natives of India, who suffered from their fidelity to the British Government.

Lahore,
23rd June, 18 8

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

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G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp,
Meerut, the 5th June,
1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 3RD AUGUST, 1858.

1ST PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 611.—The order dated 1st July 1857, by the Major General Commanding in the Punjab, directing Captain H. W. Best, and Lieut.

A. K. J. Mackenzie, 8th Light Cavalry, to do duty, is confirmed.

18TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 612.—Havildar "Nuttha Singh," from the 5th Punjab Infantry.

3RD REGIMENT SIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 613.—Kote Duffadar Luchmun Singh, to be Jemadar, in room of Doona Singh, deceased, with effect from 30th January last.

4TH REGIMENT PUNJAB CAVALRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 614.—Lieutenant E. L. Clogstoun, 2nd in Command, for three months, from 10th July, to visit Bombay, preparatory to submitting an application to proceed to England, on Medical Certificate.

OUDE POLICE.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 615.—Lieut. W. L. P. Drummond, late Officiating Adjutant 9th Irregular Cavalry, is appointed to the charge of 5 Ressallas of Mounted Police, now being raised at Lahore for service in Oudh, upon a consolidated allowance of Rs. 500 per mensem ; and with effect from the date of his being struck off the strength of the 9th Irregular Cavalry.

LAHORE, 4TH AUGUST, 1858.

No. 616.—The particular attention of Officers Commanding Punjab Regiments, Police Battalions, and Levies, is called to the following order relative to granting permission to men to carry arms when proceeding on leave to their homes.

Men belonging to Corps serving in Hindoostan or Trans Indus, when granted leave to visit their homes in the Punjab, will be permitted to take arms with them, receiving a pass under the signature of the Commanding Officer, specifying the weapon so carried, and stating that the same must be brought back by the bearer on his return from leave.

On rejoining the Regiment, the pass must be shown to the Commanding Officer, and the weapon produced.

Men proceeding on leave from corps serving within the jurisdiction of the Chief Commissioner, on this side the Indus, are not to be allowed to take arms with them to their homes.

2ND SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 617.—Lieutenant E. H. Macnaghten, doing duty, is permitted to resign his appointment.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 618.—The Regimental order dated 19th ultimo, by Captain G. C. Bloomfield, Commanding, making the following arrangements, is confirmed :—

Lieutenant R. B. Hill, Officiating Adjutant, to act as 2nd in Command, and to proceed and assume command of the Left wing at Kanund, in room of Lieutenant J. V. Hunt, appointed to the Commissariat Department.

Lieutenant T. R. Davidson, doing duty, to act as Adjutant, and to rejoin Regimental Head Quarters from Kanund.

Captain Bloomfield to take over charge of the Adjutant's Office until Lieutenant Davidson's arrival.

No. 619.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 551, dated the 7th July 1858, regarding the verification of Recruits in Punjab Irregular Regiments, Levies, &c., the Chief Commissioner directs that Rolls of every unattested Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Officer, and soldier, enlisted in the different branches of the service, since May 1857, may be sent for verification to the Civil officer of the District to which the individual belongs.

The progress made in carrying out the above order, will be briefly noted by officers Commanding Regiments, Cavalry and Infantry, at the foot of their Monthly Returns, which are submitted to the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Genl. Dept., No. 1663-5, dated 5th August, 1858.

Mr. J. C. Cordery, Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the Loodiana District.

Genl. Dept., No. 1860-1, dated 7th August 1858.

Extra Assistant Naik Ram is posted to the Goorgaon District.

LEAVE.

P. W. Dept., No. 1213 14, dated 5th August, 1858.

Assistant Overseer Sergeant *Nuttal*, Delhi Division of Public Works, for 5 months on Medical Certificate, from 18th June, 1858.

PROMOTIONS.

Revenue Depart., No. 688-93, dated 6th August, 1858.

The Supreme Government have been pleased to promote the following Officers of the Customs Department from the 3rd to the 2nd grade of Patrol for Service rendered during the mutinies :—

Mr. H. Blewitt.
Nizam-oo-deen.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to Chief Commr.

NOTICE.

Mr. G. H. Smith has been appointed Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Telegraphs in the Punjab and Scinde, during the absence of Lieut. R. Murray, on sick leave.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr.

The following extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors in the Public Department, No. 58, dated April 28th, 1858, is published for general information :—

Letter No. 12, dated May 20th, 1857.

17 to 19. With reference to the refusal of the Bombay Government to interfere in the case of a boy of the Mhar caste, who was refused admission into the Government school at Dharwar on the ground of caste, it was intimated that the Bombay Government has probably acted wisely, but the boy would not have been refused admission into any Government School in Bengal. The satisfaction of Government was expressed that the Government of Bombay had not sanctioned Mr. Erskine's suggestion for the establishment of "low caste," or "common" Schools.

12. We are of opinion that justice being, as admitted by the Bombay Govt. and its officers, in favor of the admission of boys of all castes into the Government Schools, no exclusion solely on the ground of caste should be allowed. The educational Institutions of Government are intended by us to be open to all classes ; and we cannot depart from a principle which is essentially sound and the maintenance of which is of the first importance. It is not impossible that in some cases the enforcement of the principle may be followed by the withdrawal of a portion of the scholars, but with regard to the assumed unwillingness of the wealthier classes to contribute to the establishment of such Schools, it is sufficient to remark that those persons who object to its practical enforcement will be at liberty to withhold their contributions, and to apply their funds, if they think fit, to the formation of Schools on a different basis.

(True Extract.)
(Sd.) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(True copy.)
R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Under instructions from the Officiating Director General of the Post Office in India, the present system of *optional pre-payment of letters sent from India to the United Kingdom will be Abolished from the 1st September next.* The pre-payment of postage on letters posted in any part of India for the United Kingdom, whether marked

via Southampton or *via* Marseilles, will, accordingly from the 1st September next, be *Compulsory*.

All Letters Posted on, or after, the 1st of September, upon which at least a single rate of postage, that is to say 4 annas on a Southampton letter and 6 annas on a Marseilles letter has not been paid, will be returned to the senders. But in order to obviate the inconvenience which would be caused to the public, by detaining and returning to the senders, letters which, *through inadvertence*, may be posted without the full amount of postage being paid upon them, but on which at least a single rate of postage has been paid, will be forwarded, charged with the deficiency of postage, and a fine of six pence or four annas.

Pre-payment must be made as now by Stamps.

G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp, Meerut, the 5th June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 6TH AUGUST, 1858.

CURETON'S MOOLTANEE REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

No. 620.—The appointment of Lieutenant B. N. Smith, as doing duty Officer, notified in Punjab Order, No. 245, dated 11th March last, is to be held to have effect from the 8th February 1858, the date on which he joined.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFER.

No. 621.—Ressaldar Jai Sing, from the 1st Punjab Cavalry as Commandant of a Battalion.

LAHORE, 7TH AUGUST, 1858.

ERRATUM.

No. 622.—In Punjab Order, No. 610, dated 31st ultimo, appointing a Native Doctor to the Towana Horse under Lieutenant Orchard, for "Raheem Khan" read Gooree Lall.

No. 623.—Detachment Order, dated 17th July, by Major R. A. Ramsay, Commanding, directing Assistant Surgeon G. Banister, of the Kumaon Battalion, to receive medical charge of the Police Levies and Mounted Police of the Goorgaon District, with effect from the 1st January 1858, is confirmed.

No. 624.—Brigade orders, dated 3rd March 1858, by Brigadier J. Coke, C. B., Commanding Roorkee Field Force, directing Lieutenant C. H. Fairlie, 3rd Light Cavalry, to do duty with the 1st Punjab Cavalry, is confirmed.

No. 625.—Brigade orders, dated 25th July, by Brigadier S. Corbett, C. B., Commanding at Lahore, directing Assistant Surgeon A. Taylor to receive medical charge of the 21st Regiment Punjab Infantry, in room of Assistant Surgeon Penny, removed to another corps, is confirmed.

4TH PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 626.—Jemadar Seetaram to be Subadar, in the room of Subadar Goordutt Singh, appointed Native Adjutant 5th Punjab Police Battalion.

Havildar Rampershad to be Jemadar, in the room of Jemadar Seetaram promoted.

3RD REGIMENT PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 627.—Regimental order dated 15th July, by Captain J. S. Gell, Commanding, directing Lieut. G. B. Crispin to act as 2nd in Command, Lieut. A. F. Danvers, doing duty, to act as Adjutant, and Lieut. J. P. Burton, attached as Supernumerary, to do duty, consequent on the departure of Captain W. G. Mainwaring, is confirmed.

4TH REGIMENT PUNJAB CAVALRY.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 628.—Regimental order dated 15th July, by Lieut. C. J. Godby, Commanding, directing Lieut. and Adjutant John Gillespie to officiate as 2nd in Command, and Lieut. H. Rice, doing duty, to officiate as Adjutant, in room of Lieut. and 2nd in Command E. L. Clogstoun, permitted to proceed to Bombay, is confirmed.

W. WYLD, *Captain*,
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Genl. Dept., No. 1688-9, dated 9th August, 1858.

Mr. Cecil Burton, Extra Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the Jhujjur District.

Genl. Dept., No. 1708-9, dated 11th August, 1858.

Sub-Asst. Surgeon Chunder Nath Mookerjee, to the charge of the Ferozepore Dispensary.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr.

EXTRACT FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

Fort William, 12th July 1858.

Public.

Read a Code of Regulations for the Public Works Department in Bengal, the North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab, and the minor Administrations, under the direct control of the Government of India, prepared by a Committee of Officers, and submitted to the Government of India on the 1st June 1858.

Read again the 58th paragraph of General Order, No. 430 of 21st April 1854, intimating that this Code had been ordered to be prepared.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Hon'ble the President in Council observes, that the new Public Works Code which has at length been completed, embodies (with some emendations) all existing Rules and Regulations of the Public Works Department. It combines the orders establishing the new system of Administration of the Public Works Department, notified in General Order, No. 430 of 21st April 1854, with those in the subsequent Notification, No. 117 of 17th June 1856, and many other orders of Government issued from time to time on various matters since the introduction of the new system into the Department. It also includes such of the Regulations contained in Boileau's old Public Works Code, as it was considered advisable to adopt under the new system of Administration.

2. The system of accounts adopted is based upon the principles laid down in Major Strachey's Report on the state of the accounts of the Department, dated 29th December 1856, approved by the Government of India in Public Works Resolution, No. 1040, dated 6th March 1857; and on the principles laid down in the recent Committee Report on the system of classification of Public Works lately approved by Government in the Financial Department, No. 2992, dated 28th May 1858, and in the Public Works Department, No. 3105, dated 30th ultimo. The details of the forms of account are in great measure derived from Lieutenant-Colonel Baird Smith's Report on the accounts of the Canal Department, North-Western Provinces, with such modifications as have been found desirable in extending the general system for the more complicated operations of the Public Works Department in Bengal.

3. This Code has been drawn out with much attention, and has, in the course of its preparation, been carefully gone into in all its details by many of the principal Officers of the Public Works Department under the Government of India. It is now finally approved by the Hon'ble the President in Council, and will be immediately issued to the local Governments and Administrations, and to the Military Authorities, to be brought into use. On the receipt of the Code, it will be held to supersede all former orders on the subjects of which it treats.

4. It is remarked that the Department of the Quarter Master General of the Army has been so much occupied during the past year that the orders relating to Military Stations and to the

quarters for Officers and Soldiers have not perhaps been so completely revised as might have been desired. But the necessity for the immediate issue of the Code is so great, that the Government will not on this account delay bringing it into operation. The President in Council will, however, invite the attention of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief to these subjects, in view to any such alterations being hereafter made in the Code as may be agreed upon after His Excellency's views have been made known. The rules in the Code on these subjects being those heretofore in force, no inconvenience will arise from this. In those respects in which modifications of practice affecting the relations of the Public Works Department with the Military Authorities have been made in the new Code, the President in Council desires that the Commander-in-Chief's attention should be specially drawn to the changes, as for instance, to the increased powers conferred on Commanding Officers under Chapter IV.

5. The Code, it has been observed, contains no special Regulations relating to canals or embankments. The committee finding that no formal instructions existed for these branches of the Department, abstained from preparing rules on these subjects proposing that the Government of India should call upon the local Governments, under whose immediate orders such works are, to obtain from the heads of those branches of the Department drafts of Regulations specially relating to the works under their control; and that these drafts, after approval, should be incorporated in a future edition of the Code. These suggestions are approved by the Government of India, and the necessary instructions will be issued to carry them into effect. At the same time, the special instructions relating to public buildings and roads may profitably be revised.

6. As it was found that the orders under which the new system was brought into operation were generally interpreted in such a way as to interfere with the usefulness of the Superintending Engineer, the Committee, in revising the orders, had it in view to remedy this evil, and some of the Regulations in the Code are framed to meet this wish. It is intended that the Superintending Engineers should conduct all the ordinary duties of executive supervision in their respective Circles, without the intervention of the Chief Engineer. The latter Officer should confine himself to a general supervision of the Superintending Engineer's acts, and abstaining from all interference in Divisional details, should reserve his attention, as far as possible, to matters of chief importance, and to cases which require the orders of Government. The Hon'ble the President in Council, fully concurring in this view of the functions of the Superintending Engineer, directs that they may so be performed for the future.

7. The duty of checking the accounts should also, the President in Council remarks, specially fall on the Superintending Engineer, and some method should be devised to prevent his losing his control over them while on his tour of inspection. The Hon'ble the President in Council observes that this is perfectly practicable, as has been proved in the case of the Superintendent General of Irrigation in the North-Western Provinces, who has preserved a complete control over all branches of his department during long absences from his Head Quarters on tour of inspection.

8. The Forms belonging to the Code, as well as the *Appendices*, have still to be printed, but that need not delay the publication of the body of the Work. The existing Forms can continue to be used till the new ones are supplied.

9. This Code has been upwards of four years under preparation; but the Hon'ble the President in Council considers this not to be a longer period than was naturally to be expected, considering that the Officers entrusted with the compilation were largely occupied all the time with other important duties.

10. The chief labor of preparing the Code has fallen on Captain Dickens, who has prosecuted the task with most praiseworthy perseverance, and has at last brought his labors to a close by the completion, in a manner highly satisfactory, of this very elaborate and most useful volume. The President in Council desires that the special acknowledgments of the Government of India should be rendered to Captain Dickens, for the very valuable service he has thus performed.

RESOLUTION—Resolved that a Notification be issued, directing that the Code be brought into operation at once in the Governments of Bengal, the North-Western *Provinces*, and the Straits Settlements, also in the local Administrations of the Punjab, Oude, Pegu and Tenasserim, Nagpoor, Mysore, and the Assigned Districts of Hyderabad; and that in matters of audit, it be considered as in force from 1st July 1858.

Also, that the Hon'ble the Governor of the Straits Settlements be invested with the powers assigned in the Code to Superintending and Chief Engineers, in the absence of Officers of those grades in his Government.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of the Code and of this Resolution be furnished as per margin, to the Departments, Governments, and administrations indicated; and that the attention of the Governments of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces, and of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, be specially drawn to the 5th, 6th, and 7th paragraphs of the Resolution.

Foreign.
Military.
Home.
Financial.
Bengal.
North-Western Provinces.
Straits Settlements.
Punjab.
Oudh.
Pegu.
Ten. & Mart. Provinces.
Nagpoor.
Mysore.
Hyderabad.

Also, that 70 copies of the Code for the use of Officers Commanding Divisions and Stations and a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Quarter Master General of the Army, and that the attention of His Excellency the

Commander-in-Chief be drawn to the matters adverted to in paragraph 4 of the Resolution.

Also, that 10 copies of the Code and a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Government of Fort Saint George, and the same to the Government of Bombay, for their information.

(True Extract)

R. STRACHEY, *Major*,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Public Works Dept,
Fort William, 12th July 1858.

Published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that parties who have suffered loss of Property in the Punjab Territories, (including Delhi Territory, Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, and Punjab Proper,) during the late mutinies and disturbances, and who may desire that their claims for compensation should be investigated, must refer their respective cases, with all the requisite particulars, if the amount claimed be less than Rs. 50,000 (fifty thousand,) within three months, to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. For instance, if the loss occurred at Delhi, or Goorgaon, the claimant will apply to the Commissioner of Delhi; if at Hissar, or Hansee, or Sirsa, to the Commissioner of Hissar; if at Seealkote, to the Commissioner of Lahore, and so on. After the expiry of three months from the date of this notice, no claim can be received. But if the amount of claim exceed *50,000 Rs., then* the applicant, though he must prefer his application within the three months above described, may have a further period of three months within which to furnish detailed particulars. The above limit of time applies to parties in India. If the parties be in Europe, or elsewhere out of India, they may prefer their claims with full particulars within six months. Those parties whose claims have been already forwarded to this Office, are hereby informed that their cases will now be referred to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. Claims of this nature can be received from Europeans and Christians generally, and from natives of India, who suffered from their fidelity to the British Government.

Lahore,
23rd June, 1858

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

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G. PATON,

Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp,
Meerut, the 5th June,
1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 9TH AUGUST, 1858.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 629 :—

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Bhuggoo Khan, ...	Subadar,	5th June, 1857.	To complete the establishment.
	Native Adjutant,	25th Oct., 1857.	
Mahee Khan,................	Subadar,	5th June, 1857.	
Hurree Singh, ...	Jemadar,	19th May, 1857.	
	Subadar,	1st July, 1857.	
Sahib Singh, ...	Jemadar,	8th June, 1857.	
	Subadar,	1st July, 1857.	
Sookha Singh, ...	Subadar,	27th August, 1857.	
Poordill Khan, ...	,,	19th July, 1858.	
Dowlut Khan, ...	,,	,,	
Naib Jemadars.			
Jawar Shah, ...	Jemadar,	5th June, 1857.	
Shummusdeen Khan, ...	,,	20th July, 1857.	
Kuzan Singh,...............	,,	1st August, 1857.	
Mirza, ...	,,	12th Sept., 1857.	
Jey Singh,..................	,,	,,	

LAHORE, 10TH AUGUST 1858.

No. 630.—The following Government Letter regarding the staff pay of Supernumerary, doing duty Officers, is published for information and guidance :—

No. 490.
Military Department.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,
Punjab.

SIR,—With reference to a letter No. 5753, of the 23rd June, 1858, from your Millitary Secretary and its enclosures, I am directed to inform you that the Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to authorize an allowance of Rupees (100) one hundred per mensem, under the provisions of General Order by the Commander-in-Chief, dated 8th April, 1858, to Lieutenant Stafford, attached to the Madras Rifle Regiment, during the period he did duty with the 4th Punjab Infantry, and to all other Officers who may have been and still are similarly situated.

2nd.—It is only those who are permanently attached to do duty with Regiments of the Punjab Irregular Force, who are entitled to the allowance of Rupees (137) one hundred and thirty-seven per mensem.

I have, &c. &c.,
(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Mily. Dept.

Allahabad,
23rd July, 1858.

(True Copy.)
(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Capt.*
Assistant Military Secy.

LAHORE, 11TH AUGUST, 1858.

No. 631.—The following Government General Order, appointing Barrack Masters at Stations in the Punjab, is re-published for information :—

No. 93

FORT WILLIAM, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

Public,

The 20th July, 1858.

Appointments.—The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to make the following appointments of Barrack Masters under the arrangement laid down in Circular from this Department, of the 22nd December last :—

Assistant Supervisor Sergeant W. H. Manners, to be Barrack Master of Peshawur.

Probationary Assistant Overseer Serjeant W. Bowling, to be Barrack Master of Nowshera.

1st Class Sub-Engineer Assistant Commy. J. Symms, to be Barrack Master of Rawul Pindee.

2nd Class Sub-Engineer Conductor E. Smith, to be Barrack Master of Sealkote.

Assistant Supervisor Serjeant J. Lynch, to be Barrack Master of Mooltan.

Overseer Serjeant S. S. Marriott, to be Barrack Master of Meean Meer.

2nd Class Sub-Engineer Mr. C. J. Hopper, to be Barrack Master of Ferozepore.

1st Class Sub-Engineer Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Wallace, to be Barrack Master of Jullundur.

(Sd.) R. STRACHEY, *Major,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(True copy.)

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

TRANSFER.

Mr. A. Levien, Assistant Commissioner, from the Thanesur to the Umballa District, with retrospective effect from the date of his departure from Thanesur.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr.

The following Act of the Legislative Council of India, is re-published for general information :—

ACT No. XXVII. OF 1858.

An Act to continue in force for a further period of six months, Act IV. of 1858, for providing for the exercise of certain powers by the Governor General during his absence from the Council of India.

Preamble. Whereas, the Governor General has represented that it is expedient that he should be enabled to prolong his absence from Calcutta, and that the said Act should be continued for a further period of six months, it is enacted as follows :—

Act IV. of 1858, continued for six months. I. Act IV. of 1858 shall continue in force for the period of six months from the 30th day of July, 1858.

(Signed) W. MORGAN,

Clerk of the Council.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General are re-published from the Gazette of the Governor General's Camp, for general information :—

Public Works Department, Public.

No. 57.

Allahabad, the 7th August, 1858.

The following Gentlemen are promoted to the grade of Executive Engineer of the 4th class, with effect from the 28th April, 1858 :—

Mr. J. P. C. Anderson, Lahore and Peshawur Road.

Mr. J. Adam and Mr. P. O'Brien, Inundation Canals, Punjab.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

No. OF 1858-59.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,
Lahore

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
of

Dated Lahore, 3rd August, 1858.

Circular No. 30. SIR,—I have the honor to forward for your information and guidance, copy of a letter No. 758, dated 22nd ultimo, to my address, from the Accountant General to the Government of India, defining the relative value of original and duplicate vouchers for the purposes of audit and adjustment.

2nd.—From this Correspondence it will be seen that the Accountant General considers an original voucher to be of higher value than a duplicate ; and that the latter can only be considered of equal value with the original, and admitted to supply its place, when the original is lost.

3rd—I have to request, therefore, that in the submission of accounts to this Office, you will be careful to forward original vouchers in support of each charge.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Punjab Accountant's Office, Lahore, The 2nd August, 1858. JAS. CHRISTIE, *Accountant, Punjab.*

(COPY.)
No. 758.

To
THE ACCOUNTANT, PUNJAB,
Lahore.

SIR,—With reference to your letter No. 882, dated 24th ultimo, requesting information whether a duplicate voucher might, with propriety, be accepted in support of a charge when its original is forthcoming, I have the honor to state that, for purposes of audit or adjustment in an original account, a duplicate voucher may take the place of the original, and be considered equal in value to it, only in case of the loss of the original; and it is the rule, therefore, of this Office, and I believe it is a very general one, to admit charges on original vouchers alone.

2nd.—If duplicate vouchers are admitted to support charges in account whilst the originals, which are of higher value, are retained in the disbursing Officer's Treasury, there would be danger of a second payment on the original, without question; and the fact of the false payment being made on an original voucher would render the detection of the fraud by the mere process of check almost impossible; whilst on the other hand, the presentation of a duplicate voucher for payment would be sure to raise enquiry regarding the original, and so in all probability prevent an intended fraud.

I have the honor to be, &c.,
(Signed) E. DRUMMOND,
Accountant General to the Govt. of India.

Fort William, Accountant Genl.'s Office, Genl Dept., The 22nd July, 1858.

(True Copy,)
(Signed) C. C. SEYMOUR,
for Superintendent.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Under instructions from the Officiating Director General of the Post Office in India, the present system of *optional pre-payment of letters sent from India to the United Kingdom will be Abolished from the 1st September next.* The pre-payment of postage on letters posted in any part of India for the United Kingdom, whether marked *via* Southampton or *via* Marseilles, will, accordingly from the 1st September next, be *Compulsory.*

All Letters Posted on, or after, the 1st of September, upon which at least a single rate of postage, that is to say 4 annas on a Southampton letter and 6 annas on a Marseilles letter has not been paid, will be returned to the senders. But in order to obviate the inconvenience which would be caused to the public, by detaining and returning to the senders, letters which, *through inadvertence*, may be posted without the full amount of postage being paid upon them, but on which at least a single rate of postage has been paid, will be forwarded, charged with the deficiency of postage, and a fine of six pence or four annas.

Pre-payment must be made as now by Stamps.

G. PATON,
Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp, Meerut, the 5th June, 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 14TH AUGUST, 1858.

No. 632.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 553, dated 10th ultimo, regarding the investigation of claims to family pension, all District Officers in whose jurisdiction heirs of deceased soldiers reside, are authorized to conduct the examination into the validity of claims to pension, in the manner prescribed in the above quoted orders.

JHELUM LEVY.

TRANSFER.

No. 633.—Subadar Essara, from the 12th Punjab Infantry.

No. 634.—3rd Class Native Doctor Ramgoleel, who was placed at the Chief Commissioner's disposal in *Lahore Division Order No. 177*, dated 11th May, is directed to do duty with Oude Police, under the command of Lieut. Bradford, with effect from the date he joined. This cancels the Native Doctor's appointment to the 16th Punjab Infantry, notified in Punjab Order No. 445, dated 1st June, 1858.

No. 635 — The undermentioned men, attached to the Loyal Poorbeea Regiment, are transferred to the Eurasian Battalion being raised at Peshawur, and are to be directed to proceed and report themselves to the Assistant Adjutant General Peshawur Division.

Corporal J. Risdon.

Drummers.
William Collins.
Thomas Dickson.
John D'Silva.
Phillip Alcantra.
John Debeno.
William Humes.
Andrew Paul.

Drummers.
Charles Clifton.
Henry Debeno.
Henry Collins.
Robert Watson.
William Watson.
Daniel Watson.
Nathaniel Risdon.

No. 636.—The attention of all Officers in command of troops serving within the jurisdiction of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, is called to Punjab Gazette Order, No. 483, dated 15th June last, directing them to furnish, on the

1st of each month, Disposition Returns of Corps, Batteries or Detachments under their command, to the Assistant Quarter Master General of the Division in which they may be serving.

The above order is intended to include all Depots. Levies, Horse and Foot, and also the organised Police, Horse and Foot.

1st REGIMENT PUNJAB CAVALRY.

Promotions.

No. 637.—1.—Ressaldar Alladad Khan, to be Woordie Major from 1st June, in room of Ressaidar Shere Jehan Khan, transferred to 3rd Punjab Cavalry.

2.—Naib Ressaldar Boodh Singh to be Ressaidar, in room of Ressaidar Alladad Khan.

1.—Jemadar Morad Alli Khan, to be Naib Ressaldar, from the 27th March, 1858, vice Feroze Khan promoted.

4.—Jemadar Bhuggut Singh, to be Naib Ressaldar from 1st June, 1858, in room of Boodh Singh.

6.—Jemadar Abdoolla Khan, to be Naib Ressaldar, from 27th March, 1858, vice Wachun Singh promoted.

3.—Kote Duffadar Ram Singh, to be Jemadar, from 1st June, 1858, in room of Bhuggut Singh.

4.—Kote Duffadar Lutteef Khan, to be Jemadar from 27th March, 1858, in room of Morad Ally Khan promoted.

12.—Duffadar Gholam Hoosein Khan, to be Jemadar, from 27th March, 1858, in room of Abdoolla Khan promoted.

9th PUNJAB POLICE BATTALION.

Promotion.

No. 638.—Havildar Jannie Khan, to be Jemadar, from 11th July, 1858, vice Sahib Singh deceased.

9th PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 639.—The Regimental Order dated 2nd ultimo, by Captain J. B. Thelwall, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant H. Collett, doing duty, to act as Adjutant, as a temporary measure, is confirmed.

3rd SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

Appointment.

No. 640.—Lieutenant W. E. D. Broughton, 8th Native Infantry, attached to this Corps by Dinapore Division Order, dated 9th July, 1858, is appointed to do duty from that date, as a Supernumerary.

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Capt.*

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commissioner.

Kunniah Lall—*Lahore Chronicle Press.*

STATEMENT of Prices Current in the Chief Stations in the Punjab and Trans-Indus and Cis and Trans-Sutlej and Delhi Territories for the month of August 1858.

Names of Articles.	Cis-Sutlej Division. Umballa.	Loodiana.	Thanesur.	Ferozepoor.	Simla.	Trans-Sutlej Division. Jullundhur.	Hooshyarpore.	Kangra.	Lahore Division. Lahore.	* Umritsur.
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Wheat, ...	0 39 0	1 15 0	0 38 6	1 12 0	0 24 8	1 10 0	1 8 0	1 6 0	1 1 0	
Barley, ...	1 15 2	1 30 0	1 11 0	2 10 0	0 34 0	1 38 0	1 25 0	1 24 0	1 23 0	
Gram, ...	1 23 9	2 5 0	1 14 4	2 10 0	0 33 8	1 26 0	1 20 0	1 8 0	1 28 0	
Bajra, ...	1 10 0	1 25 0	0 33 0	1 20 0	0 32 0	0 0 0	1 8 0	0 0 0	1 6 0	
Jowar, ...	1 10 0	2 10 0	0 0 0	1 10 0	0 32 0	0 0 0	1 24 0	0 0 0	1 5 0	
Dal (Oorud), ...	0 36 6	1 5 0	0 37 4	1 0 0	0 22 0	1 0 0	0 38 0	0 0 0	0 36 0	
Maize, ...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 10 0	
Moth, ...	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 10 0	
Dal, (Moong),...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 26 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 34 0	
Rice, ...	0 10 0	0 18 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 11 0	0 16 0	0 14 0	0 20 0	0 12 0	
Ghee, ...	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 2	0 0 0	0 2 12	0 0 0	0 2 14	0 0 0	0 2 14	
Goor, ...	0 16 0	0 14 0	0 15 8	0 16 0	0 13 0	0 14 0	0 11 0	0 0 0	0 15 0	
Cotton, ...	0 2 12	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 2 4	0 2 0	0 0 0	0 2 8	0 0 0	0 3 0	
Sugar, ...	0 4 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 4 0	0 3 8	0 0 0	0 4 0	0 0 0	0 3 12	
Salt, Lahoree, ...	0 10 12	0 12 0	0 10 6	0 13 6	0 9 0	0 12 4	0 12 0	0 12 6	0 14 0	
Bhoosa, (white),	3 0 0	4 30 0	3 30 0	3 30 0	0 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	0 0 0	3 15 0	
Hay, ...	4 0 0	0 0 0	3 0 0	0 0 0	2 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	3 0 0	
Wood, (fuel,)...	4 0 0	0 0 0	6 0 0	0 0 0	5 0 0	0 0 0	3 20 0	0 0 0	3 20 0	
Salt (Sambhur,)	0 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 4	0 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 8 0	

Names of Articles.	Lahore Division. Sealkote.	Goordaspoor.	Goojranwalla.	Jelum Division. Jelum.	Rawul Pindee.	Goojerat.	* Shahpoor.	Mooltan Division. Mooltan.	Jhung.	Futtehpoor Gogaira.
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Wheat, ...	1 2 9	1 9 0	1 2 0	1 12 12	1 11 5	1 11 12		0 32 0	0 32 12	1 1 0
Barley, ...	1 37 0	1 24 0	1 25 7	1 22 4	1 26 5	1 35 8		1 2 0	1 5 4	1 10 0
Gram, ...	1 18 0	1 20 0	1 25 6	1 13 8	1 14 8	1 18 0		1 5 0	1 4 0	1 11 0
Bajra, ...	1 0 0	2 0 0	0 0 0	1 21 4	1 24 0	1 12 8		0 32 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
Jowar, ...	0 35 0	1 20 0	0 33 7	1 14 12	1 20 0	1 5 0		0 33 0	1 0 0	0 22 0
Dal (Oorud), ...	0 2[illegible] 11	1 0 0	0 30 12	0 0 0	0 23 7	0 28 0		0 21 0	0 32 12	0 25 0
Maize, ...	0 0 0	1 20 0	1 5 0	0 0 0	1 39 0	1 10 0		0 0 0	0 0 0	1 30 0
Moth, ...	0 0 0	1 10 0	1 5 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0		1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
Dal, (Moong),...	0 0 0	0 26 0	1 3 9	0 0 0	0 28 6	0 25 0		0 22 0	0 0 0	0 25 0
Rice, ...	0 12 0	0 16 0	0 20 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 11 0		0 10 8	0 8 0	0 12 0
Ghee, ...	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 2 15	0 3 0	0 3 1	0 3 0		0 3 4	0 3 0	0 3 0
Goor, ...	0 15 0	0 16 0	0 14 1	0 12 2	0 11 0	0 13 8		0 11 8	0 12 12	0 13 0
Cotton, ...	0 3 4	0 3 4	0 4 0	0 0 0	0 2 6	0 3 2		0 2 2	0 0 0	0 2 8
Sugar, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 4	0 2 15	0 3 4		0 3 2	0 0 0	0 3 4
Salt, Lahoree, ...	0 13 0	0 12 0	0 14 3	0 16 0	0 15 8	0 15 4		0 14 12	0 15 0	0 13 0
Bhoosa, (white),	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0		4 0 0	3 30 0	5 0 0
Hay, ...	0 0 0	12 0 0	3 20 0	2 10 0	1 0 0	3 0 0		4 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
Wood, (fuel,)...	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 20 0	4 30 0	5 0 0	4 0 0		4 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0
Salt (Sambhur,)	0 0 0	0 8 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0		0 0 0	0 0 0	0 5 0

Names of Articles.	Leia Division. Leia.	Khangurh.	* Dera Ismael Khan.	Dera Gazee Khan.	Peshawur Division. * Peshawur.	Huzara.	Kohat.	Delhi Division. Delhi.	Goorgaon.	* Paneeput.	Hissar Division. * Hissar.	* Sirsa.	Rohtuk.	* Jhujjur.
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Wheat, ...	1 2 0	0 32 6		1 1 0		0 36 0	0 33 0	0 29 7	0 29 8				0 30 3	
Barley, ...	1 15 0	1 3 0		1 6 0		1 23 0	1 14 0	0 39 8	1 2 8				1 14 12	
Gram, ...	1 13 0	1 0 8		1 5 0		1 10 0	1 0 0	1 13 4	1 9 0				1 20 11	
Bajra, ...	1 0 0	0 31 12		1 12 0		1 20 0	1 0 0	0 32 15	0 33 8				0 39 15	
Jowar, ...	1 0 0	0 26 0		1 6 12		1 20 0	1 0 0	0 30 4	0 28 12				0 38 15	
Dal (Oorud), ...	0 28 0	0 18 0		0 18 0		0 22 0	0 11 0	0 35 8	0 31 0				1 3 9	
Maize, ...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0 0 0		1 14 0	0 0 0	0 32 7	0 29 0				0 30 0	
Moth, ...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0 0 0		1 0 0	1 8 0	1 0 15	0 6 0				1 10 2	
Dal, (Moong),...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0 0 0		0 18 0	0 13 8	0 31 6	0 31 0				0 37 15	
Rice, ...	0 13 0	0 0 0		0 11 0		0 18 0	0 7 0	0 16 0	0 12 0				0 15 0	
Ghee, ...	0 3 4	0 2 14		0 4 12		0 2 14	0 2 0	0 2 14	0 2 13				0 2 15	
Goor, ...	0 11 0	0 11 0		0 9 8		0 8 0	0 5 0	0 16 8	0 14 12				0 15 9	
Cotton, ...	0 2 4	0 2 3		0 0 0		0 12 8	0 0 0	0 3 0	0 2 12				0 2 13	
Sugar, ...	0 0 0	0 3 0		0 2 15		0 0 0	0 2 2	0 4 12	0 4 8				0 3 13	
Salt, Lahoree, ...	0 16 0	0 15 0		0 13 0		0 0 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	0 8 0				0 9 5	
Bhoosa, (white),	6 0 0	3 20 0		4 0 0		5 25 0	5 0 0	2 22 0	3 0 0				3 12 0	
Hay, ...	4 0 0	4 0 0		4 0 0		5 0 0	0 0 0	[illegible] 0 0	3 0 0				2 36 0	
Wood, (fuel,)...	0 0 0	8 0 0		4 0 0		0 0 0	7 0 0	3 13 0	4 0 0				5 6 0	
Salt (Sambhur,)	0 0 0	0 0 0		0 0 0		0 0	10 0 0	0 9 0	0 9 8				0 13 2	

Financial Commissioner's Office, Lahore, The 18th August 1858.

* Returns not received.

EDWARD PASKE,
Personal Assistant to Financial Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Department. No. 1 731 2. dated 14th August, 1858.

Extra Assistant Syud Sufdur Hoosein is posted to the Goorgaon district.

LEAVE.

Genl. Department. No. 1.741-2, dated 16th August, 1858

Captain J. Fendall, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Leia, has obtained one month's privilege leave from the date of his availing himself thereof.

Genl. Department. No. 1,744-5, dated 16th August, 1858.

Mr. H. B. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner of Khangurh, for the months of September and October, 1858, under Sec. 12 of the new Civil Service Absentee Rules.

Genl. Department. No. 1.748, dated 16th August, 1858.

Mr. R. E. Egerton, Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, has obtained three months' privilege leave from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, are re-published from the Gazette of the Governor General's Camp, for general information :—

Public Works Department, Public.

No. 57.

Allahabad, the 7th August, 1858.

Notification.—The following Gentlemen are promoted to the grade of Executive Engineer of the 4th Class, with effect from the 28th April 1858 :—

Mr. J. P. C. Anderson, Lahore and Peshawur Road.

Mr. J. Adam, and Mr. P. O'Brien, Inundation Canals, Punjab.

Foreign Department.

No. 2712.

Allahabad, the 11th August 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General has been pleased to appoint the Lord Frederick Hay, C. S., to be an Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class in the Punjab.

No. 2719.

The Governor General is pleased to appoint Gunga Pershad to be an Extra Assistant of the 3rd Class in the Hissar Division.

(True copies.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

NOTICE.

In modification of the Notice which appeared in the Punjab Gazette of the 7th August 1858, page 212, it is hereby notified, that Mr. G. H. Smith, 1st Class Inspector of Telegraphs in Sinde, has been appointed to Superintend the Construction of the Line of Telegraph between Lahore and Sinde.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

Rules for the Administration of Local Funds, and for the constitution of Local Committees in the Punjab Territories.

Formation of District Committee

1.—Each District Officer will, without delay, form a Local Committee in his District, for the administration of the Local Funds.

Constitution of Committee

2.—The Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner will, ex-officio, be President and Vice President of these Committees. The Members will be the Assistant and Extra Assistant Commissioners, the Civil Surgeon, the Executive Engineer, and such other Officer or Resident, European or Native, as the Committee may recommend to the President and be approved by him. The Superintending Engineer is, *ex-Officio*, a member of all the Local Road Committees in his circle of superintendence.

Secretary to Committee.

One of the Members should undertake the honorary duties of Secretary: all correspondence will be conducted in his name, and he will be responsible that the Books of his office are properly kept. The Secretary should be appo-

ed by the Commissioner, who will report the name to the Secretary to Chief Commissioner for publication in the *Punjab Gazette*.

No disbursement to be made or work undertaken without the consent of a quorum.

3.—Three Members will form a quorum; and with the exception noted below, no money should be disbursed, and no undertaking commenced, without the recorded consent of a quorum, of whom the Vice President, or acting Vice President (during the absence on leave of the Deputy Commissioner) must be one. But the Deputy Commissioner may, at his discretion, undertake any business which is of such an urgent nature as not to bear the delay of a reference to the Committee. He will, however, on such occasions, report to the other Members as soon as possible.

Mode of conducting business.

4.—For each Fund there should be a Minute Book, and a Bill Book; and every proceeding should be entered into the former, and signed by all the Members present at the meetings; which should take place weekly, or as often as required, provided that there shall be at least *one meeting in each month.* The Vernacular papers should be kept by the Committee's Mohurrir.

Number and purposes of the several Funds.

5.—The Local Funds are five in number.

I.—ONE PER CENT. ROAD FUND.

This is to be administered by the Local Committee, and should be devoted exclusively to the maintenance and formation of the cross roads of the District, and bridges on those roads; no portion of it should, without special sanction of the President, be spent on the Grand Trunk Road or Station Roads, or any buildings.

II.—PRISON LABOR COMMUTATION FUND.

This is a grant from Government; and is henceforth to be administered by the Local Committee, and should be devoted to the station roads, road side plantations, &c., and to all works on which Prisoners were employed formerly.

III.—FERRY FUND.

This is formed from the income of Government Ferries, except those on the Grand Trunk Road; It is to be administered by the Local Committee, and should be devoted to the improvement of Roads other than the Grand Trunk Roads leading to the Ferries; to the improvement of Ghauts leading down to the Ferries; to the maintenance of encamping grounds, and supply depots (Burdasht Khanas;) to the erection of Serais and other buildings for the public convenience, and the Government service; provided always that the above named buildings, &c., shall be off the Grand Trunk Road.

IV.—NUZOOL FUND.

This is the income derived from the rent and sale proceeds of Government buildings. It is to be administered by the Local Committee, and devoted to such purposes of public utility, improvement of the Station, and conservancy, as are from time to time required under the orders of Government.

V.—MUNICIPAL FUND.

This is the surplus of the town duties (by whatever name known) remaining over after payment of the expences of watch and ward; It is in future to be administered by the Local Committee, and devoted to purposes of conservancy, convenience and embellishment of that town alone, from which the Fund is derived.

Object of each Fund to be borne in mind.

6.—The Committee should bear in mind the proper application of the Funds. *Each Fund* has its object.

The *Road Fund* is for District roads only.

The *Prison Labor Fund* is for stations only.

The *Ferry Fund* is for Ferries, Seraies and district roads.

The *Nuzool Fund* is for stations and conservancy.

The *Municipal Fund* is for improvement of particular cities only.

Each Fund to be applied to its own special object.

7.—The money of each Fund is to be applied to *its own special object;* one Fund is not to be applied to the purposes of another Fund.

Monthly Contingent Bills.

8.—All disbursements as stated above, should take place under the signature of not less than three Members of the Committee; and a Contingent Bill sent in monthly for the countersignature of the President, which will serve as a voucher to clear the amount in the monthly accounts. It is not necessary to include in the Contingent Bills, items for which special sanctions have been obtained.

Extent of President's powers in regard to works.

9.—The power of the President to sanction expenditure, extends to 500 Rupees from the Ferry and Nuzool Funds, and to 1,000 Rupees from the Road and Municipal Funds, on any one work.

Mode of preparing Bills.

10.—It will be the special duty of the Commissioner, as President, to see that in every Bill the money has been rightly applied to the *special purpose* of the Fund. *Each Bill should specify the Fund* from which the disbursement is made. Disbursements from *several Funds* are not to be included in the *same* bill.

Establishments will be sanctioned by President, and cannot be increased by Committee.

11.—Certain Establishments will be sanctioned by the President, to be paid monthly from each Fund; and it will not be competent for the Committee to make any increase without obtaining special sanction, or to entertain such establishment in anticipation save in special emergency, when an immediate report must be made. But the Committee may discharge and pay up Establishments *without* obtaining previous sanction.

12.—The power of the President to sanction

Extent of President's powers in regard to Establishments.

Establishments will extend to Rs. 300 per mensem in the aggregate, for all the Funds of each District.

Powers of Committee in regard to Road Funds.

13.—The Committee are authorised to disburse from the one per cent Road Fund, all expenditure on account of annual ordinary repairs to existing District Roads, without reference to the President. Plans for new roads, metalling roads for the first time, constructing bridges, must in each case be referred to the President, together with the opinion of the Executive Engineer of the District, which should be obtained whenever practicable.

Powers of Committee in regard to prison Labor Fund.

14.—The Committee are authorised to disburse from the Prison Labor Fund, all expenditure on account of annual repairs of station roads, and bridges on those roads; and the District officer may disburse up to 50 Rupees for any one work *on his own authority*: the amount so disbursed to be brought on the accounts of the Local Committee, and to be billed for like other expenditure. Establishments for watering plantations must receive the sanction of the Commissioner before being entertained

This Fund is under the same control as regards Contingent Bills and sanction as the Road Fund.

Powers of Committee in regard to Ferry Fund.

15.—The Committee are not authorised to make any disbursement from the Ferry Fund without obtaining previous sanction from the President, with exception of ordinary repairs to Burdasht Khanas and Seraies, and cleaning of encamping grounds, and *such expenditure as is absolutely* necessary for the maintenance of the Ferries actually existing and cannot be deferred until receipt of formal sanction.

The Committee must not establish *new* Ferries. That power rests with the District officer subject to the approval of the Commissioner.

The Contingent Bills will be submitted as directed in the case of other Funds.

Powers of Committee in regard to Nuzool Fund.

16.—The Committee are authorized to disburse from the Nuzool Fund, all expenditure on account of ordinary repairs of Government Nuzool buildings, when they do not exceed fifty per cent. of the income of such property; and for repair of Station Roads, or for maintaining works of conservancy in or around the station. All estimates for larger or other disbursements must be forwarded to the President for sanction.

Contingent Bills are to be submitted to President as before.

Powers of Committee in regard to Municipal Fund.

17.—The Committee are authorised to disburse from the Municipal Fund any sum not exceeding 500 Rupees on *any one work*, and all expenditure for ordinary repairs of Buildings erected from Municipal Funds, or devoted to Municipal purposes, or of Drains, Tanks, and other objects of public accommodation. But Bills must be submitted monthly to the President for countersignature. All estimates for larger disbursements to be forwarded to President for sanction.

Time and form of application to President for sanction.

18.—Applications to the President for sanction are to be made every 15 days, in the forms laid down in Judicial Commissioner's Circular No. 39, dated 9th May, 1857.

Meetings in August and May of each year, and their objects.

19.—In the month of August each year, there should be an Annual Meeting to take into consideration the available Funds, and the plan of operations for the current year, as the work will about that time be commencing. The Secretary should lay before the Committee, to be entered on their Minute Book, the exact state of the balance in hand of the five Funds. In the first week of the month of May next following, there will be a second Annual Meeting to take into consideration the accounts of the past year, and draw up the Local Improvement Report in the form prescribed by the Judicial Commissioner, in his Circular No. 13, dated 12th February, 1855. This Report should be submitted to the President by the 15th of May.

Course to be observed in case of difference of opinion.

20.—In the event of a difference of opinion among the Members of the Committee, the majority of votes will decide the question. But the minority shall be at liberty, if they think fit, to require a reference to be made to the President before the decision is carried into effect.

Duties of Committee in regard to Nuzool buildings.

21.—The Committee have nothing to do with the mode of collecting the 1 per cent. Road Fund, or the establishment of, and management of Ferries; but as Local Agents, they are charged with the superintendence and management of all Nuzool buildings, of which the fixing and collection of rents is an important part. Proposed sales must be submitted through the President to the Judicial Commissioner before being held, and after being held must be reported to the same authority before finally taking effect.

22.—Also the Committee have nothing to do with the mode of collection of the Municipal Fund, or the control of the establishment paid for watch and ward, which rest entirely with the Deputy Commissioner under the orders of the Commissioner.

By order of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

Lahore, 18*th August*, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, with the sanction of the Supreme Government, the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab resolves that all officers in fu-

ture nominated for permanent appointment as Cantonment Joint Magistrates within the Territories subject to this Administration, must have first passed for the higher standard in Criminal Law; in such parts of the Excise Laws as relate to Cantonments; and in the Court language, oral and written; according to the tests and system in force for the examination of Assistants and Extra Assistants in the Civil Commission. Where the Joint Magistrate may be entrusted with the Judicial powers in Civil suits within limits of Cantonments, he will have also to pass for the higher test in the Punjab Code of Law and Procedure. The Central Committee of examination are charged with the duty of causing the examination of Officers, liable under the present Notification, to be conducted under the Local Divisional Committees, together with the examination of Assistants and Extra Assistants, during the month of April in each year. Any officer who may have to present himself for examination on the above named occasion, should communicate with the Commissioner of the Division within which his station may be situate. The Divisional Committee wlll submit the examination papers of such examinee (together with those of the other examinees) with their opinion to the Central Committee; whose decision will be final, and will be reported to the Chief Commissioner. The present orders will not effect any officer who may previously to the *present* date have been *permanently* appointed Cantonment Joint Magistrate. But no officer will in future be nominated for, or confirmed in, such *permanent* appointment, unless he shall have passed the prescribed Test.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

Lahore,
The 19th August, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

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Lahore,
23rd June, 1858

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

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G. PATON,

Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp,
Meerut, the 5th June,
1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 18TH AUGUST, 1858.

20TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 641.—Subadar Hurree Singh is dismissed the service from date of the receipt at Regimental Head Quarters of this order.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 642.—The undermentioned men are transferred from the 8th Police Battalion.

Havildars.

Mytab Sing,
Nehal Sing,
Bhola,

Naicks.

Heera Sing,
Futteh Khan,
Sooltana,

} As Drill Instructors.

Sepoys.

Ludda,
Nanuk,
Khirk Sing,
Amer Sing,
Nihal Sing,
Goordutt Sing,
Nowab,
Dad,

} As Drill Instructors

14TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 643.—Havildar Gameh Khan, to be Jemadar from 30th June last, in room of Saadutt Khan promoted.

W. WYLD, *Captain*,
Assistant Military Secy. to Chief Commr.

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No. 49. **Saturday, August 21, 1858.** Vol 2.

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT.

Genl. Department, No. 1.761, dated 20th August, 1858. Extra Assistant Gunga Pershad is posted to the Hissar District.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to the Chief Commr.

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R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

Lahore, 23rd June, 1858.

MILITARY.

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LAHORE, 21ST AUGUST, 1858.

JHUJJUR MOUNTED POLICE.

PROMOTION.

No. 644.—Duffadar Jan Mohamed to be Jemadar, in room of Chutter Singh, promoted.

8TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 645.—Assistant Surgeon H. W. Graham is permitted to resign Medical charge, with a view to his joining another appointment.

6TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 646.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Jemadars.			
Mohamed Azim, ...	Subadar,	1st August 1857,	For the two extra companies.
Meer Syud, ...	*ditto,*	*ditto,*	
Sewrubjeet Singh, ...	ditto,	1st August 1857,	Himut Khan transferred.
Shah Gool, ...	ditto,	19th January 1858,	Essa Khan, deceased.

3RD REGIMENT SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

No. 647.—The Regimental order dated 1st August, by Lieut. G. G. Pearse, Commanding, directing Lieut. B. W. Ryall, acting 2nd in command, to officiate as commandant in addition to his other duties, consequent on his own departure on leave for 3 months on Medical certificate, is confirmed.

1ST REGIMENT SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 648.—Jemadar Dewar Singh, to be Naib Ressaldar, in room of Ummer Singh, transferred to the Oude Mounted Police. Duffadar Jowahir Singh, to be Jemadar, in room of Dewar Singh, promoted.

22ND PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 649.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 533, dated 30th June last, appointing Brevet Captain W. J. Ward, acting 2nd in command, that officer is directed to proceed and join by Dawk, at the public expense.

No. 650.—The following letter from the Adjutant General of the army, regarding applications for leave of absence, submitted by officers of Punjab Regiments and Irregular Levies, employed on Field service under the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, is published for the information and guidance of officers concerned, and in view to his Excellency's wishes, as therein expressed, being carried out :—

" Copy."

No. 1900.

To

THE MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE

Chief Commissioner, Punjab,

Dated Allahabad, 2nd Augt. 1858.

SIR,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th July 1858, No. 6351, begging to be informed of the Commander-

in-Chief's wishes regarding applications for leave on Medical certificate by officers of Punjab Regiments and Irregular Levies employed on Field Service under his Excellency's Orders.

2. In reply, Sir Colin Campbell desires me to state, for the information of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, that his Excellency considers privilege leave should be given by the officer commanding the Station or post at which the applicant is stationed, as in the regular army, and in accordance with the regulations.

3. General leave, the Commander-in-Chief conceives, should, in the cases referred to, be applied for, through the local authorities, and Adjutant General's Department.

I have &c.,

(Sd.) W. MAYHEW, *Lieut Colonel,*
Adjutant General of the Army.

(True Copy)

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secry to Chief Commr.

No. 651.—The Army Clothing Agency being unable to meet the demands for clothing of the *new* Punjab Infantry Regiments this season, Officers Commanding are hereby authorized to make up good warm clothing of suitable material, before the setting in of the cold season. The cost not to exceed that allowed by regulation.

2. Commanding officers should submit, without delay, bills for the regular compensation in lieu of clothing to the Superintendent of Army Clothing at Calcutta, to enable them to meet the required outlay.

3. The Officers Commanding the newly raised companies of Sikh artillery are in like manner directed to procure clothing for their men, submitting bills for compensation as above directed.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secy. to Chief Commr.

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No. 50. **Wednesday, August 25, 1858.** Vol 2.

CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Genl Department, No. 1776-7, dated 23rd August, 1858.

Mr. C. F. A. Kelly, of the Accountant's Office, Lahore, for one year, on Medical Certificate, to Europe, from the 1st September 1858.

Genl. Department, No. 1786-7, dated 24th August, 1858.

Captain T. W. Mercer, Asst. Commissioner, Jullunder, has obtained two months' privilege leave from the date of his availing himself thereof.

P. W. Department, No. 1381-2, dated 24th August, 1858.

Mr. P. O'Brien, Asst. Superintendent Innundation Canals, has obtained indulgence leave for the months of September and October, 1858.

TRANSFER.

Genl. Department, No. 1788, dated 24th August, 1858.

Mr. J. C. Cordery, Assistant Commissioner, from the Loodiana to the Jullunder District.

APPOINTMENTS.

Lieut. G. A. Houchen, Officiating Executive Engineer, 8th Division Grand Trunk Road, to officiate as Assistant to the Superintendent Hill Roads, as a temporary arrangement.

Mr J. P. C. Anderson, to officiate as Executive Engineer, 8th Division Grand Trunk Road, as a temporary arrangement.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to the Chief Commr.

NOTICE

The following distribution and designation of the several Circles of the Educational Department, Punjab, have been sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner :—

Name of Circle.	*Commissionership comprised in each Circle.*	*Name of Inspector.*
Umballa Circle.	Delhie. Hissar. Cis-Sutlej States.	Lieutenant Holroyd.
Lahore Circle.	Trans-Sutlej States. Lahore. Mooltan.	Lieutenant Forbes.
Rawul Pindee Circle.	Jhelum. Peshawur. Leia.	F. Browne, Esquire.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.

The following orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General are re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's camp for general information :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

No. 2875.

Allahabad, the 19th August, 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to make the following promotion :—

Lieut. J. Tighe to be a 2nd Class Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab.

2877.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to promote the undermentioned Extra Assistants in the Punjab :—

Mahomed Sooltan, from the 2nd to the 1st Class.

Agha Kulababid, from the 3rd to the 2nd Class.

(True copies.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

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G. PATON,

Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp, Meerut, the 5th June, 1858.

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R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

Lahore, 23rd June, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5—747 OF 1858.

With reference to the Resolution by the Honorable the President in Council, under date 30th April 1858, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of 9th June last, the Civil Auditor Punjab, has the honor to request that officers whose Pay Abstracts of Establishment are subject to the audit of his office, will be good enough, in future, to adopt the following revised form of Leave-Return for submission with their Monthly Abstracts, in substitution of that prescribed by Government Order of 9th November last.

W. J. RAYNOR,

Civil Auditor, Punjab.

Civil Auditor's Office, Punjab, Lahore, The 25th August 1858.

MONTHLY STATEMENT of Leave of Absence of every description granted to Uncovenanted Servants drawing more than 10 Rupees per mensem, in the Office of the————for the month of

Name of absentee.	Office held by absentee.	Monthly Salary.	Description of Leave.						Period of absence during the month.	Amount of deduction from salaries.	Rate of deduction.	Name of Substitute (if any.)	Amount payable to Substitute.	Net amount to be retrenched from Pay Abstract, for the above month.	Remarks.
			Without leave.	Sick leave, under Sections IV and V.	Private affairs, under Section VIII.	Special leave on private affairs, under *Section* IX.	Privilege leave, under Section VII.	Casual leave for sickness, as per G. O. 12th June 1857 and 19th March, 1858.							

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 23RD AUGUST, 1858.

No. 652.—In continuation of Punjab Order No. 349, dated 27th April last, the following Government letter, extending the grant therein notified, to all Band Masters of Native Regiments who have been thrown out of employment by the Mutinies, is published for information :—

No. 86.

To

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

Punjab.

SIR,—In reply to your Military Secretary's letter No. 339, of the 22nd June 1858, I am desired to acquaint you, that the Hon'ble the President in Council sanctions an extension of the grant of Rupees (100) one hundred per mensem, for six months, to Band Masters of mutinied corps to the Band Masters of disarmed corps, in which the Bands have been broken up, and owing to which they have been thrown out of employment.

Military Department.

I have &c.,

(Sd.) F. D. ATKINSON, *Major,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Military Department.

Council Chamber, Fort William, the 3rd of August, 1858.

(True Copy)

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secy to Chief Commr.

LAHORE, 25TH AUGUST 1858.

18TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 653.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date	In whose Room.
Jemadar			
Syphoolla Khan, ...	Subadar,	12th June 1858,	Subadar Ahmed Khan resigned.
Havildar.			
Nutha Singh, ...	Jemadar,	5th August 1858,	Jemadar Mohamed Kassim resigned.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 654.—Havildars Lall Khan and Futteh Singh, to be Jemadars, to complete the Establishment.

3RD REGIMENT PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 655.—The Regimental order dated 24th July, by Captain J. S. Gell, Commanding, appointing Lieutenant J. P. Burton, doing duty officer, to officiate as Adjutant, in addition to his other duties, vice. Lieut. A. F. Danvers, proceeded to join the 1st Regiment Punjab Cavalry, is confirmed.

3RD POLICE BATTALION.

No. 656.—Subadar Goolab Roy is suspended from rank, pay, and allowances, for a period of three months.

21ST PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 657.—Jemadar Peer Khan, as Subadar.
Havildar Futtehdeen, as Jemadar.
Naick Dabee Singh, alias Khanzadah, as Havildar.
Naick Gama, as Havildar.
" Bayl Khan, as Havildar.
Sepoy Shazadah, as Naick.
" Baker Shah, ditto.
" Mhendee, ditto.

From 2nd Punjab Infantry.

W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secy. to Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

General Dept, No. 1901-2, dated 27th August, 1858.

Mr. J. W. MacNabb, Assistant Commissioner, for one month, on Medical Certificate, from the 15th August, 1858, in extension of the leave, published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 23rd June, 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secretary to the Chief Commr.

No. 4227.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 14th July, 1858.

Read again the undermentioned Orders passed by this Government relative to "No Demand" certificates of Officers on sick leave, and to the term "Military Officers in Civil employment."

General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Military Department, No. 683, dated 26th June, 1855.

Letter from the Financial Department to the Government of the N. W. Provinces, No. 4,584, dated 14th November, 1855.

Letter from the Financial Department to the Government of Bengal, No. 224, dated 18th January, 1856.

Financial Resolution, No. 2045, dated 1st May, 1856.

General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, in the Military Department, No. 779, of 27th May, 1856.

Read an Extract from the Proceedings of this Government, in the Military Department, No. 861, dated 16th June, 1858, forwarding for consideration and orders, a letter from the Accountant General to the Government of India, with the connected papers, on the subject.

Observations.

The Honorable the President in Council observes from the papers submitted, that on the 26th June, 1855, this Government, in the Military Department, issued a General Order in respect to the production of "No Demand" certificates by Military and Medical Officers of Her Majesty's and the Honorable Company's service, when about to quit the limits of the Bengal Presidency, on resignation or retirement, on obtaining Furlough to Europe, or General Leave beyond sea.

On the 14th November, 1855, on a reference from the Accountant, N. W. Provinces, it was ruled that security should not be taken from *Civil Servants* on leave under medical certificate, or on private affairs, retaining their appointments.

On the 18th January following, this rule was extended to *Military Officers holding Civil appointments.*

The Officiating Accountant, N. W. Provinces, subsequently enquired whether it might not also be extended to Officers in *the Department of Public Works*; and asked for an authoritative explanation of the term "Military Officers holding Civil appointments."

He was informed in reply, on the 1st May, 1856, that the term extended to all Military Officers considered to be in *Civil employ*, according to existing regulations; but that as Military Officers in the P. W. Department were *not* considered to be in Civil employ, it was thought desirable that the question, whether the rule of "No Demand Certificates" should be made applicable to them, should be considered in the Military and Public Works Departments, to which it was accordingly referred.

On the receipt of the papers in the Public Works Department, it seems to have been thought advisable that the question should be finally disposed of in the Military Department; and in accordance with this view, it was determined in

the Military Department, on the 27th May, 1856, by General Order No. 779, "that the Rule laid down in the Financial Department, under date 18th January, 1856, dispensing with the taking of security from Military Officers holding Civil appointments on leave, on medical certificate, or on private affairs, retaining their appointments, should also be considered applicable to Officers holding Military, Staff, or other detached employment."

Under these orders the Rule has since been held to be applicable to Officers of the P. W. Department.

The Secretary in that Department, on the 23rd March last, enquired of the Military Department whether the General Order No. 779, was to be considered as modifying, in any degree, the General Order No. 683, of 26th June 1855; observing that, if it was, the modification should be published in a General Order, as otherwise No. 779 of 1856 would be a dead letter, and would confer no benefit on the Military Officers of the Public Works or any other Department.

On the receipt of this communication, the Military Department requested the Accountant General to prepare and forward for submission to Government, a Draft of a General Order in modification of the Government General Order of the 27th May 1856.

In replying to this communication, the Accountant General observed, that the grounds of the General Order No. 779 of 1856, had not been stated; and that, as it was directly opposed to the principle hitherto maintained in the Military Department, the subject appeared deserving of reconsideration. He therefore proposed the substitution of a certificate of the non-existence of any extraordinary demands, and of the sufficiency of existing security, in lieu of the acquittance of the Department in which the Officer is employed, hitherto required; and submitted for approval a Draft General Order in supercession of all existing Rules, regarding the production of Certificates of "No Demand" by Military Officers with their Regiments, or on Civil, Staff or detached employ, when about to proceed on leave beyond sea.

Resolution.

The Hon'ble the President in Council is of opinion, that the process which the Accountant General would set up, and which would be opposed to the late tendency of Government to alleviate the vexation of the "Security" and "No Demand" systems formerly in force, is uncalled for. He is not aware of any cases having occurred to shew that such retrogressive process is necessary; and he believes that all practical purposes of security will be answered if the several Governments, before sanctioning applications for leave, are required to have before* them reports from the Officers noted in the margin,† stating whether according to the information before them, there is reason to require security as a special case, because of any doubtful items outstanding against the applicant, or because of any thing suspicious or extraordinary in the state of the applicants' accounts. The reporting Officers must not delay their reports, in ordinary cases, by reference to local Officers, it being understood that, with a proper system of despatch, and proper vigilance on their part, they ought, in all ordinary cases, to have the means of judging in their own offices.

* In some cases it may be convenient if the reports are submitted with the applications, in others they may best be called for by the Governments on receipt of the applications.

† Regarding applications from Civil Officers from the Accountants of the Governments under which they serve.

Military Officers in Civil employ, from Ditto.

Officers in the P. W. Dept. from the Chief Engineer of the Division.

Officers of the Commissariat and Stud Departments from the Auditors of Commissariat and Stud Accounts.

Officers of the Ordnance Department, from the Inspector General of Ordnance and magazine.

On the receipt of these reports, the several Governments will determine the course to be taken.

The Rule will be applicable to all Officers, Civil or Military, Staff or Regimental, in Her Majesty's or in the Honorable Company's Service, and to all applications for leave beyond sea, whether to Europe or elsewhere; and will be held to supersede all existing Rules regarding certificates of "No Demand."

Order.

Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Military Department, for information and guidance, and that the original documents received therefrom be returned.

Ordered also, that a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the Departments,* Governments† and Officers‡ noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

* Home, Foreign, Public Works.
† Beng., Madras, Bom., N. W. P.
‡ Chief Commr, Punjab, Accountant General to the Government of India.

(A True Extract.)

(Signed) C. H. LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

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G. PATON,

Post Master General, N. W. Provinces.

Dated Camp, Meerut, the 5th June 1858.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 28TH AUGUST, 1858.

No. 658.—The undermentioned Officers having been placed at the Chief Commissioner's disposal, by the Major General Commanding the Sirhind and Lahore Divisions, are appointed to do duty with an escort proceeding to Kurrachee with convicts :—

Captain M. R. Somerville, late 61st N. I., to command the detachment on a Staff salary of 200 Rs. per mensem *while* so employed.

Captain H. Nangle, H. M.'s 15th Foot. Captain Disney, 2nd Battn. H. M.'s 24th Foot.	To do duty on Staff pay of Rupees 100 each per mensem while so employed.

No. 659.—In continuation of Punjab Order, No. 616, dated 4th August, men of Regiments serving in Hazara, are to be permitted to carry arms when proceeding on leave under the restrictions specified in the order above quoted.

4TH REGIMENT SEIKH IRREGULAR CAVALRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 660.—Sowar Sham Sing, from the mounted Police Jhelum Division, as Duffadar.

W. WYLD, *Captain*,

Assistant Military Secy. to Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Extra Assistant Ameen Chund is posted to the Rawul Pindee Settlement.

Extra Assistant Golam Hussun is posted to the Jhelum District.

General Dept., No. 1837-8, dated 1st September, 1858. Captain A. LeGallais, Commanding the Goojranwala Levy, to officiate as Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Seealkote, from 1st October 1858, or from the date of Capt. Mocatta's departure—subject to the confirmation of the Supreme Government.

TRANSFERS.

Lieutenant J. B. Smyly, Assistant Commissioner, from the Dera Ghazee Khan to the Leia District.

Extra Assistant Mehtab Singh, from the Leia to the Goojrat District.

LEAVE.

Captain O. J. McL. Farrington, Deputy Commissioner of Jullundhur, has obtained indulgence leave from the 29th July to the 10th August, 1858, both days inclusive.

Genl. Dept., No. 1822-3, dated 30th August 1858. Captain T. Keyes, Assistant Commissioner of Kohat, has obtained two months' privilege leave, from 1st September, 1858, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself thereof.

Genl. Dept., No. 1824-5, dated 30th August, 1858. Extra Assistant Hadee Hoossein has obtained one month's indulgence leave, from the 15th October, 1858, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself thereof.

P. W. Department. N. 1440-1, dated 1st September 1858. Captain H. Hyde, Executive Engineer, Peshawur, has obtained two months' indulgence leave, from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

Genl. Dept., No. 1837-8, dated 1st September, 1858. Captain D. Mocatta, Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Seealkote, has obtained three months' leave on Medical certificate, from the 1st October, 1858, to enable him to proceed to Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, under the old Rules.

PROMOTION.

Revenue Dept., No. 774 A, dated 31st August 1858. Mr. R. H. Roberts, Assistant Patrol of Samplah, from the 3rd to the 2nd grade, on a salary of Rs. 125 per mensem, with effect from the 29th November, 1857.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

The following Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, are re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's Camp, for general information :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

No. 2892.

Allahabad, the 23rd August, 1858.

Mr. L. Berkeley, Principal Sudder Ameen of Delhi, is promoted to the 1st grade of Extra Assistants in the Delhi Territory and the Punjab.

No. 2915.

Allahabad, the 25th August, 1858.

Mr. C. U. Aitchison, Assistant Commissioner, is appointed to be Personal Assistant to the Judicial Commissioner in the Punjab.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Allahabad, the 25th August 1858.

No. 378 of 1858 —The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to direct that District; Officers in the Provinces of Kumaon and Ghurwal, and also in the Hill Stations of the Sirhind Division, shall be empowered to investigate claims to Family Pension in their respective Districts; and be authorized to take, in communication with the Officers Commanding Corps, the necessary evidence in support of such claims.

(True copies.)
R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

The Chief Commissioner has been pleased to lay down the following rules in respect to the entertainment of Punkha and Tattie Establishments, these rules being founded upon those current in the N. W. P. :—

Under ordinary circumstances one Bhisty and two Coolies may be assigned to each of the following rooms, the services of the Bhisty being dispensed with after the commencement of the rains : —

1.—Judicial Commissioner.
2.—Financial Commissioner.
3.—Commissioners of Divisions.
4.—Deputy Commissioners.
5 —Assistant Commissioners.
6.—Extra Assistant Commissioners.
7.—English Offices.
8.—Persian Offices.
9.—Record Rooms.
10.—Treasuries.

2.—This scale, however, must be regarded as the maximum; as it will be capable of reduction when the arrangement of rooms is convenient for economizing labor in serving the Punkhas and Tatties, and where the supply of water is obtainable in the immediate vicinity.

By order of the Chief Commissioner.
R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

ERRATUM.

In the Price Current published with the Punjab Gazette, No. 47, dated 14th current, the price of Gram in the Mooltan District was erroneously entered as 1 maund 5 seers per rupee, instead of 32 seers.

D. F. McLEOD,
Financial Commr. for the Punjab.

Financial Commr's. Office, Lahore, 30th August, 1858.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that parties who have suffered loss of Property in the Punjab Territories, (including Delhi Territory, Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, and Punjab Proper,) during the late mutinies and disturbances, and who may desire that their claims for compensation should be investigated, must refer their respective cases, with all the requisite particulars, if the amount claimed be less than Rs. 50,000 (fifty thousand,) within three months, to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. For instance, if the loss occurred at Delhi, or Goorgaon, the claimant will apply to the Commissioner of Delhi; if at Hissar, or Hansee, or Sirsa, to the Commissioner of Hissar; if at Seealkote, to the Commissioner of Lahore, and so on. After the expiry of three months from the date of this notice, no claim can be received. But if the amount of claim exceed 50,000 Rs., then the applicant, though he must prefer his application within the three months above described, may have a further period of three months within which to furnish detailed particulars. The above limit of time applies to parties in India. If the parties be in Europe, or elsewhere out of India, they may prefer their claims with full particulars within six months. Those parties whose claims have been already forwarded to this Office, are hereby informed that their cases will now be referred to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. Claims of this nature can be received from Europeans and Christians generally, and from natives of India, who suffered from their fidelity to the British Government.

Lahore, 23rd June, 1858 } R. TEMPLE, *Secy. to the Chief Commr.*

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 1ST SEPTEMBER, 1858.

8TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFERS.

No. 661.—Subadar Chunda Singh, from the 1st Punjab Infantry.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

Jemadar Meer Baz,
" Emam Bux
" Durbarah Singh, } From the 1st Punjab Infantry.

23RD PUNJAB INFANTRY.

Naick Syud Hussun,
" Hummeed Khan,
" Golam Kadir,
" Daim,
" Ursullah, } From 1st Punjab Infantry as Havildars.

These transfers to have effect from the date on which the parties may be struck off the strength of the 1st Punjab Infantry.

9TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

PROMOTION.

No. 662.—Jemadar Bhugail Singh to be Subadar,
Jemadar Azim Khan, to be Subadar. } To fill existing vacancies.

RESSALLA OF SURFRAZ KHAN, ESA KHEYL.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 664 —Duffadar Nowrun Khan to be Jemadar.

No. 665.—Appointments and transfers to the Police Battalions raised at Lahore, under the command of Lieutenant J. R. Auldjo, for service in the North-Western Provinces :—

APPOINTMENTS.

To be Subadars.

Shere Ally Shah, from 9th July, 1858.
Sodh Singh. ,, 6th Aug., 1858.

To be Jemadars.

Narain Singh, from 24th July.
Runjeet Singh, ,, 7th August.

To be Havildars.

Jowahir Singh,	from 12th July.
Bhugwan Singh,	,, 27th ,,
Jeewun Singh,	,, 6th August.
Bussawah Singh, 1st	,, ,,
Shere Singh,	,, ,,
Peerpoor Singh,	,,
Khan Singh,	,, ,,
Bussawah Singh, 2d	,, ,,
Khan Singh, 2d	,, ,,
Chundah Singh,	,, ,,
Nehal Singh,	,, ,,
Bissoon Singh,	,, 17th August.

To be Naicks.

Ram Singh, from 29th July.
Futteh Singh, ,, 31st July.
Bankah, ,, 6th August.

TRANSFERS.

As Subadars.

Subadar Golam Hossein from 2d P. I., from 1st July.

Jemadar Boorah Khan,	from 2d P. Inf.,	from 1st July.
,, Abdool Kurreem,		,, 24th do.
Havildar Issur Singh.		,, 1st do.

Havildar Tullawund Singh from 4th Native Infantry.

Jemadar Keshmut Khan from Mountain Train Battery, from 18th July.

Subadar Jallim Singh, from 5th P. Infy., from 20th July.

Havildar Summundur Khan, from 10th P. Inf., from 1st August.

As Jemadars.

Havildar Kadir Bukhsh,	from 2d P. Inf,	With effect from 1st July.
,, Bahadoor Singh, 1st		
,, Bhoop Singh,		
,, Sundook Singh,		
,, Bahadoor Singh, 2d		
,, Shama,		

,, Jowahir Singh, from 24th July.

Jemadar Sahib Singh, from Hoshyarpoor Levy, 19th July.

As Havildars.

Naick Ellsie Bux,	from 2nd Punjab Inf.	From 1st July.
,, Jowalla,		
,, Heera Singh,	from 2d P. Infantry.	With effect from 24th July.
,, Jooma 1st		
,, Jooma 2nd		

Sepoy Rung Lall Singh from 4th Native Infantry.

Havildar Goolabab, from Hoshyarpoor Levy, 19th July.

Havildar Ram Singh, from Hoshyarpore Levy 19th July.

,, Balla Singh, ditto ditto.

Sepoy Ram Singh from 1st Police Battalion, 2nd August.

Sepoy Gopaul Ram,	From 2nd Punjab Infantry, 15th August.
,, Sewdeen,	
,, Sewpersaud,	

As Naicks.

Sepoy Ameera,	From 2nd Punjab Infantry, with effect from 1st July.
,, Omerbuksh,	
,, Chundah Singh,	
,, Boga,	
,, Chunda Singh,	
,, Jamiet Singh,	
,, Soudagur Singh,	
,, Heerah,	
,, Peerbuksh,	
,, Jowahir,	
,, Vussawa Singh,	
,, Goordut Singh,	
,, Sooltan Buksh,	
,, Gool Khan,	
,, Omer Buksh,	
,, Juma Khan,	
,, Jowahir Singh,	
,, Hossein Khan,	
,, Narain Singh,	
,, Nutha Sing,	

Sepoy Warriam Singh, from 1st Police Battalion, 2nd August.

Eighty Sepoys from the Hooshyarpoor Levy, from 19th July.

No. 666.—The following G. O. G. G. regarding distinctions for service against the mutineers is published for general information :

No. 317.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Allahabad, the 18th August, 1858.

No. 363 of 1858.—The Right Hon'ble the Govr. General has great satisfaction in announcing that the Queen has been graciously pleased to command, that a medal shall be granted to the troops in the service of Her Majesty and of the East India Company, who have been, or may be employed in the suppression of the mutiny in India, with clasps to those engaged in the capture of Delhi, and in the defence and relief of Lucknow ; and that all those civilians, whether or not in Her Majesty's service, who have been actively engaged in the field, or otherwise before the enemy, during the recent operations in India, shall participate in the same honorary distinctions.

The Governor General requests that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, and the Governors in Council of the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay, will take immediate measures to furnish the Government of India with lists of the Officers, Non-commissioned Officers, and Privates, engaged in these operations, distinguishing those who are entitled to Bars for Delhi and Lucknow respectively, and those entitled to medals for field service only ; and that in like manner lists may be furnished of all civilians in the several Presidencies entitled to the decoration.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, for information.

By order

(Sd.) R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept. with the Governor General.

STOKES' PATHAN HORSE.

No 667.—The entertainment of a classie on Rupees 5 per month, for the care of two tents sanctioned by Government for the hospital, is authorized.

15TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 668.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Havildars.			
Guhul Singh,	Jemadar,	23rd March 1858,	Bootah Singh, dismissed.
Shere Singh,	Ditto,	1st August 1858,	Lukka Singh, dismissed.

3RD POLICE BATTALION.

No. 669.—PROMOTIONS.

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose Room.
Jemadars			
Phully,	Subadar,	11th June, 1858,	In room of transfers to the 25th Punjab Infantry or Goorkha Battalion,
Nidhan Singh,	ditto,		
Theraz Singh,	ditto,		
Ram Singh,	ditto,		
Havildars.			
Sooltana,	Jemadar,		
Baunsey,	ditto,		
Nehal Singh,	ditto,		
Mytab Singh,	ditto,		
Sunt Singh,	ditto,		

CORPS OF GUIDES.

No. 670.—The Regimental Order by Major Lumsden, Commanding, dated 31st March, 1857, directing Lieutenant T. G. Kennedy, acting Commandant of Cavalry, to officiate as 2nd in command, in addition to his other duties, until the arrival of Captain H. D. Daly, is confirmed.

STOKE'S PUTHAN HORSE.

No. 671.—an Allowance of Rs. 10-0-0 per mensem, per Troop, is sanctioned, to cover the expenses of repair of arms, stationery, &c. This order to have retrospective effect.

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secy to Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

Motee Lall, Extra Assistant Commisssioner of Shahpore, has obtained two months' indulgence leave, from the 15th October, 1858, or from such date as he may avail himself thereof.

General Dept., No. 1851-2, dated 3rd September, 1858.

Captain G. M. Battye, Assistant Commissioner of Murree, has obtained two months' leave, from the 25th September, 1858, or from the date on which he may avail himself thereof, to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, on Medical Certificate.

General Dept., No. 1853-4, dated 3rd Sept., 1858.

Mehtab Singh, Extra Assistant Commissioner of Goojrat, has obtained one month's indulgence leave, from the date on which he may avail himself thereof.

General Dept., No. 1867-8, dated 4th Sept., 1858.

Lieut. H. Heath, Executive Engineer, Sealkote, has obtained six weeks' leave, from the 15th October, 1858, or from the date on which he may avail himself thereof, to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, on Medical Certificate.

P. W. Department, No. 1467-8, dated 4th Sept. 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Supreme Government have been pleased to rule, that Assistant Commissioners posted to the Punjab Territories on a salary of Rs. 400 per mensem, shall, on passing both Standards of Examination, and being vested with the full powers of a Magistrate and Collector, receive a salary of Rs. 500 per mensem.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to Chief Commr., Punjab.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that parties who have suffered loss of Property in the Punjab Territories, (including Delhi Territory, Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, and Punjab Proper,) during the late mutinies and disturbances, and who may desire that their claims for compensation should be investigated, must refer their respective cases, with all the requisite particulars, if the amount claimed *be less than Rs. 50,000 (fifty thousand,)* within three months, to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. For instance, if the loss occurred at Delhi, or Goorgaon, the claimant will apply to the Commissioner of Delhi; if at Hissar, or Hansee, or Sirsa, to the Commissioner of Hissar; if at Seealkote, to the Commissioner of Lahore, and so on. After the expiry of three months from the date of this notice, no claim can be received. But if the amount of claim exceed 50,000 Rs., then the applicant, though he must prefer his application within the three months above described, may have a further period of three months within which to furnish detailed particulars. The above limit of time applies to parties in India. If the parties be in Europe, or elsewhere out of India, they may prefer their claims with full particulars within six months. Those parties whose claims have been already forwarded to this Office, are hereby informed that their cases will now be referred to the Commissioner of the Division within which the loss occurred. Claims of this nature can be received from Europeans and Christians generally, and from natives of India, who suffered from their fidelity to the British Government.

Lahore,
23rd June, 1858.

R. TEMPLE,
Secy. to the Chief Commr.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 2ND SEPTEMBER, 1858.

13TH REGIMENT *PUNJAB INFANTRY.*

PROMOTIONS.

No. 672.—Subadar Shib Ram Singh to be Native Adjutant.

Jemadars.

Mahtab Shah to be Subadar, from 20th October, 1857, to complete the establishment.

Dewan Singh to be Subadar from 19th February, 1858, in room of Gunnessa Sing, deceased.

Havildars.

Jodh Singh to be Jemadar from 20th October, 1857, vice Mahtab Sing, promoted.

Jawahir Singh to be Jemadar, vice Dewan Singh, promoted.

17TH PUNJAB INFANTRY.

No. 673.—Lieutenant T. N. Walker, late 60th Native Infantry, doing duty as a Supernumerary, is permitted to resign his appointment.

LAHORE, 4TH SEPTEMBER, 1858.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFERS.

No. 674.—Naib Ressaldar Ummar Singh and Sowar Koer Singh, from the 1st Seikh Irregular Cavalry, with effect from the 1st July last.

1ST PUNJAB CAVALRY.

No. 675.—The transfer to the Oude Police of Ressaldar Jai Singh, notified in Punjab Order, No. 621, dated 6th August, is cancelled at that Officer's request.

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain,*
Assistant Military Secy to Chief Commr.

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CIVIL.

PUNJAB ORDERS IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.

DISMISSAL.

Mozuffur Hoosein, Thanadar of Chubeel in the Lahore District, dismissed for bribery and corruption, is proscribed from further employment under Government.

Genl. Department, No. 1882-4, dated 7th September, 1858.

LEAVE.

Lieut. J. T. Tovey, Assistant Engineer, Peshawur, has obtained two months' leave on Medical Certificate, with effect from the 6th instant, in extension of the leave notified in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 21st July, 1858.

P. W. Dept., No. 1487-8, dated 8th Sept. 1858.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

Capt. W. E. Morton of Engineers assumed charge of the Office of the Superintendent General of Irrigation, N. W. P., from Lieut. Col. R. Baird Smith, C. B., on the 1st September, 1858.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

The following order by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, is re-published from the *Gazette* of the Governor General's Camp, for general information :—

No. 3052.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Allahabad, the 2nd September, 1858.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to appoint Mr. E. C. Barnard, C. S., to be an Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class in the Punjab.

(True Copy.)

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

NOTIFICATION.

In modification of the notice of 22nd June last, regarding claims for compensation on account of loss of property, during the late mutinies and disturbances, it is hereby notified that, subject to the confirmation of the Supreme Government, the Chief Commissioner has appointed Mr. R. Temple, (Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,) to be Special Commissioner for the investigation of such claims within the limits of the Lahore Division, comprising the Districts of Lahore, Umritsur, Goordaspoor, Sealkote, and Goojranwalla.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy to Chief Commr.

No. 4233.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Financial Department, under date the 14th July, 1858.

Read again the undermentioned Orders passed by this Government relative to "No Demand" Certificates of Officers on sick leave, and to the term "Military Officers in Civil employment."

General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, in the Military Department, No. 683, dated 26th June, 1855.

Letter from the Financial Department to the Government of the N. W. Provinces, No. 4584, dated 14th November, 1855.

Letter from the Financial Department to the Government of Bengal, No. 224, dated 18th January, 1856.

Financial Resolution, No. 2045, dated 1st May, 1856.

General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, in the

Military Department, No. 779, of 27th May, 1856.

Read an Extract from the Proceedings of this Government, in the Military Department, No. 861, dated 16th June, 1858, forwarding for consideration and orders, a letter from the Accountant General to the Government of India, with the connected papers on the subject.

Observations.

The Honorable the President in Council observes from the papers submitted, that on the 26th June, 1855, this Government, in the Military Department, issued a General Order in respect to the production of *"No Demand" Certificates* by Military and Medical Officers of Her Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Service, when about to quit the limits of the Bengal Presidency on resignation or retirement, on obtaining Furlough to Europe or General Leave beyond Sea.

On the 14th November, 1855, on a reference from the Accountant, N. W. Provinces, it was ruled, that security should not be taken from *Civil Servants* on leave under medical certificate, or on private affairs, retaininig their appointments.

On the 18th January following, this rule was extended to *Military Officers holding Civil appointments.*

The Officiating Accountant, N. W. Provinces, subsequently enquired whether it might not also be extended to Officers in *the Department of Public Works*, and asked for an authoritative explanation of the term "Military Officers holding Civil appointments."

He was informed in reply, on the 1st May 1856, that the term extended to all Military Officers considered to be in *Civil Employ* according to existing regulations, but that as Military Officers in the P. W. Department were *not* considered to be in Civil employ, it was thought desirable that the question whether the rule of "No Demand Certificates" should be made applicable to them, should be considered in the Military and Public Works Departments, to which it was accordingly referred.

On the receipt of the papers in the Public Works Department, it seems to have been thought advisable that the question should be finally disposed of in the Military Department, and in accordance with this view, it was determined in the Military Department, on the 27th May, 1856, by General Order No. 779, "that the Rule laid down in the Financial Department, under date the 18th January, 1856, dispensing with the taking of security from Military Officers holding Civil appointments on leave on medical certificate, or on private affairs retaining their appointments, should also be considered applicable to Officers holding Military, Staff or other detached employment."

Under these Orders the Rule has since been held to be applicable to Officers of the P. W. Department.

The Secretary in that Department, on the 23rd March last, enquired of the Military Department, whether the General Order No. 779 was to be considered as modifying, in any degree, the General Order No. 683, of 26th June, 1855; observing that if it was, the modification should be published in a General Order; as otherwise No. 779 of 1856 would be a dead letter, and would confer no benefit on the Military Officers of the Public Works or any other Department.

On the receipt of this communication, the Military Department requested the Accountant General to prepare and forward for submission to Government, a Draft of a General Order in modification of the Government General Order of the 27th May, 1856.

In replying to this communication the Accountant General observed, that the grounds of the General Order No. 779 of 1856, had not been stated, and that as it was directly opposed to the *principle hitherto maintained* in the Military Department, the subject *appeared* deserving of re-consideration. He therefore proposed the substitution of a certificate of the non-existence of any extraordinary demands and of the sufficiency of existing security, in lieu of the acquittance of the Department in which the Officer is employed hitherto required, and submitted for approval a Draft General Order in supercession of all existing Rules, regarding the production of certificates of "No Demand" by Military Officers, with their Regiments, or on Civil Staff or detached employ, when about to proceed on leave beyond Sea.

Resolution.

The Hon'ble the President in Council is of opinion, that the process which the Accountant General would set up, and which would be opposed to the late tendency of Government to alleviate the vexation of the "Security" and "No Demand" systems formerly in force, is uncalled for. He is not aware of any cases having occurred to shew that such retrogressive process is necessary, and he believes that all practical purposes of security will be answered if the several Governments, before sanctioning applications for leave are required to have before* them reports from the Officers noted in the margin,† stating whether, according to the information before them, there is reason to require security, as a special case because of any doubtful items outstanding against the applicant or because of any thing suspicious or extraordinary in the state of the applicants accounts. The reporting officers must not delay their reports, in ordinary cases, by references to local officers; it being understood that, with a proper system of despatch, and proper vigilance on their part, they ought, in all ordinary cases, to have the means of judging in their own offices.

* In some cases it may be convenient if the reports are submitted with the applications; in others they may best be called for by the Governments on receipt of the applications.

† Regarding applications from Civil Officers—from the Accountants of the Governments under which they serve.

Military Officers in Civil Employ—from Ditto.

Officers of the P. W. Dep't.—from the Chief Engrs. of the Division.

Officers of the Commissariat and Stud Departments—from the Auditors of Commissariat and Stud Accounts.

Officers of the Ordnance Department—from the Inspectors General of Ordnance and Magazine.

On the receipt of these reports the several Governments will determine the course to be taken.

The Rule will be applicable to all Officers, Civil or Military, Staff or Regimental, in Her Majesty's or in the Honorable Company's Service, and to all applications for leave beyond Sea, whether to Europe or elsewhere, and will be held to supersede all existing Rules regarding certificates of No Demand.

Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Military Department, for information and guidance, and that the original documents received therefrom be returned.

...der.

Ordered also, that a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the Departments,* Governments † and Officers ‡ noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

* Home, Foreign, Public Works. † Bengal, Madras, Bombay, N. W. Provinces. ‡ Chief Commissioner, Punjab, Accountant General to the Government of India.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) C. H. LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to Govt. of India.

Re-published for general information.

R. TEMPLE,

Secy. to Chief Commr.

ADVERTISEMENT.

Tenders are invited for the construction, at Rawul Pindee, of a complete set of Barracks with Out-offices, School-room, Canteen, Orderly Room, Wash-houses, Baths, &c., for a Regiment of European Infantry.

Plans, Specifications and particulars regarding the above, may be learnt on application to the undersinged by intending contractors.

S. H. J. DAVIES, *Captain,*

Executive Officer, Rawul Pindee Division.

No. OF 1858-59.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT,

Punjab,

To

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,

of

Dated Lahore, 1st September, 1858.

Circular No. 31.

SIR,—At the request of the Post Master General, North Western Provinces, I have the honor to annex for your information, copy of a Resolution of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, dated the 25th March, 1858, from which you will percieve that Depositors of Government securities for the performance of contracts are declared not entitled to have either the securities or the interest accruing thereon, remitted to them under the protection of an official frank. If, therefore, a contrary practice obtains in your office, I beg that it may henceforth be discontinued.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) JAMES CHRISTIE,

Accountant, Punjab.

Punjab Accountant's Office,
Lahore, 1st September, 1858.

NOS. 453 AND 454.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, in the Home Department (Post Office) under date the 25th March, 1857.

Read in Extract No. 40, dated the 2nd ultimo, from the Proceedings in the Military Department, on the subject of forwarding under official frank, Promissory Notes held in security for the performance of contracts to the Civil Treasuries, for the realization of interest due thereon.

Read a letter No. 2029, dated the 12th ultimo, from the Officiating Director General of the Post Office in India on the subject.

Resolution.—The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council observes, that the privilege is asked for on the ground that the depositors of Government Promissory Notes consider that an official frank ensures greater safety to the notes in transit, than if they were sent either stamped or bearing postage; this argument is quite inadmissable.

2nd.—It appears to his Lordship in Council no more than reasonable, that private persons, who deposit Promissory Notes as security for the fulfilment of contracts, should, if they desire to draw interest of their notes while they are in deposit, furnish the means of sending them to the proper Treasury, just as they would have to do, if the notes remained in their possession.

Ordered that the foregoing Resolution be communicated to the Military Department in reply to the extract from that Department No. 40, dated the 2nd ultimo, and that a copy be forwarded to the Director General of the Post Office, with reference to letter No. 2029, dated the 12th idem.

(True Extract.)

C. C. SEYMOUR,

for Superintendent.

MILITARY.

PUNJAB ORDERS ISSUED BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION.

LAHORE, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1858.

6TH POLICE BATTALION.

No. 676. The Punjab Order No. 189, dated 24th September 1857, directing the discharge from the service of Native Adjutant Adjoodeah Persaud, is hereby cancelled, and that Officer is permitted to resign his appointment from the 24th August, 1857.

LAHORE, 8TH SEPTEMBER, 1858.

12TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 677. Regimental Order dated 26th August, by Lieut. H. H. Christian, Officiating Commandant, directing Lieut. John Liston, to officiate as Adjutant as a temporary arrangement, is confirmed.

11TH REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 678. Regimental Order dated 18th August, by Captain E. S. Dennis, appointing Lieutenant G. F. M. Phillips, of the late 30th Native Infantry, to do duty, is confirmed.

3rd REGIMENT SEIKH INFANTRY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 679. Havildar Dhayan Sing, to be Jemadar, from 8th June 1858, in room of Bal Bahadoor Singh, transferred to the Hazara Goorkha Regiment.

Havildar Shere Khan, to be Jemadar, from 19th June, 1858, in room of Babeechurn Singh, promoted.

SEHARUNPORE DISTRICT POLICE.

TRANSFER.

No. 680. Naick *Sowdagur, from 22nd* Punjab Infantry.

19th PUNJAB INFANTRY.

TRANSFER.

No. 681. Bugler Shada, from No. 4 or Garrison Company of Artillery Punjab Irregular Force, as Bugle Major.

5th REGIMENT PUNJAB CAVALRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 682. Lieut. A. H. Prinsep, doing duty from 6th August, to 6th November, to visit Mussoorie, and the Hills North of Dehra, on Medical Certificate, under the new Rules.

OUDE POLICE.

TRANSFER.

No. 683. Subadar Suddoolah, from the 17th Punjab Infantry, with effect from the 1st September.

15th REGIMENT PUNJAB INFANTRY.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No. 684. Lieut. F. M. Armstrong, Officiating Adjutant, from 26th August, to 4th September, on Medical Certificate, to enable him to appear before a Medical Committee at Mooltan.

(Sd.) W. WYLD, *Captain,*

Asst. Mily. Secy. to Chief Commr.

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